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P R E F A C E .

THE rolls calendared in this volume are the chief records now extant of the civic administration of Dublin in the period from 1651 to 1671.

The affairs of the municipality from 1651 to ^{Municipality, 1651-59.} 1659 continued under the control of the adherents of the Commonwealth of England, and steps were taken by them to exclude Roman Catholics as well ^{Exclusion.} as Protestant royalists.

Proscriptive measures, war and plague had largely diminished the population of Dublin, and produced for a time a general depreciation of civic property. Many of the houses had been demolished, others verged on ruin, and but few manufacturers, traders or artizans remained in Dublin.

The subsisting citizens, depleted by heavy tax- ^{Taxation.} ation,¹ had mortgaged municipal properties to raise ^{Mortgages.} funds required on loan by Government authorities, ^{Loans.} and their pressing applications for repayment received little attention.

¹ Weekly "cesses" were levied on the citizens. There was also a tax exacted for the killing of wolves, *see* 64; and "Facsimiles of National Mss. of Ireland," 1884, Part IV., 3, p. ci.

Invitation
to Dublin.

In 1651 the municipal council publicly invited English manufacturers, traders and artizans to settle in Dublin, and promised them admission to the city franchise on favourable terms. The

Restriction.

invitation was specially restricted to English Protestants, and the aid of Government was solicited to promote the project in England.¹

Hewson,
governor
of Dublin.

Colonel John Hewson,² Parliamentary governor of Dublin, writing in 1651, observed that the city had "formerly swarmed with Papists;" but, now, he added, "I know none there but one, who is a surgeon and a peaceable man."

Exclusion.

Under a municipal ordinance of 1652-3, Protestants only were admissible to gilds and to apprenticeship in the city.³ In the documents⁴ of the time the majority of the population of the island were referred to as "Irish Papists" and

Common
enemies.

"common enemies."

Irish people.
Prohibition.

By an edict⁵ of the lord deputy and council, Irish people were prohibited to reside or dwell within two miles of the city of Dublin. The requirements of the citizens for supplies to the city

Markets.

markets necessitated relaxations of the decree, and in this connection the following appears in a petition⁶ to the municipal council in 1657:

¹ See p. 3.

² See vol. i., p. xli.

³ See p. 38.

⁴ See pp. 162, 171.

⁵ Dated at Dublin, 21 May, 1655.

⁶ See p. 113.

“Whereas by the laws all persons of this land ought to speak and use the English tongue ^{English tongue and habit.} and habit, contrary whereunto and in open contempt whereof there is Irish commonly and usually spoken, and the Irish habit worn not ^{Irish language and habit.} only in the streets, and by such as live in the country and come to this city on market days, but also by and in several families in this cit , to the great discontentment of the right honourable his highness’s council for the affairs of Ireland, and the scandalizing of the inhabitants and magistrates of the city ; and also shewing that there is very much of swearing, ^{Swearing.} cursing and blasphemy used and practised as in the English tongue, too much so also in the Irish ^{English. Irish.} tongue, which as it is a breach of the good laws of the land, so it is a high provoking of God, which may justly cause the plague and other judgments to seize upon this city.”

On the expiration of Oliver Cromwell’s term of ^{Oliver Cromwell.} office as lord lieutenant,¹ a council for conducting public affairs of the Commonwealth in Ireland was ^{Commonwealth.} appointed under the parliament in England. This ^{Parliament.} council was constituted of persons from England. ^{Council.} They soon evinced among themselves divergent ^{Dissensions.} sentiments on politico-theological subjects, which

¹ See vol. iii, p. xl, and “Contemporary History of affairs in Ireland, | 1641-52.” Dublin: 1880.

occasionally led to embarrassing complications in the conduct of their government in Ireland.

With the sanction of the Parliamentary council, the cathedrals and churches in Dublin, with their emoluments, recently in the hands of English episcopal clergymen, were committed to energetic Anabaptist, Baptist, Independent and Presbyterian ministers from England. Amongst these many jealousies arose, but the Anabaptists were for a time in the ascendant at Dublin through the patronage of the lord deputy, Charles Fleetwood, son-in-law of Oliver Cromwell. They were also favoured by colonel John Jones, one of the Parliament commissioners. Jones had signed the warrant for the execution of Charles I.; he married Oliver Cromwell's sister, and was in 1660 hanged at London as a regicide.

John Murcot of Warwick, an Independent preacher of high repute, received, in 1653, from the Dublin municipal council a grant¹ of ground free of rent, "for his encouragement in his ministry." Murcot died in the following year, and his funeral was attended by the Mayor and Aldermen, as well as by lord deputy Fleetwood, the council of state and Governmental officials.²

Under the Commonwealth various official duties

¹ See pp. 61, 180, 183.

² Works of John Murcot, London: 1657.

devolved on the Mayor of Dublin in addition to Mayor. those ordinarily discharged by him. He was empowered to grant licences to Irish tenants Licences. and servants for temporary stay in the county of Dublin with Protestant employers, who urgently needed their work. The Mayor was also entrusted with funds for new arrangements in Trinity Trinity College. college. Marriages were solemnized in public Marriages. parts of the city in presence of the Mayor. He had authority to act judicially in admiralty Admiralty. cases, and he was occasionally required to "press" seamen to serve on board ships of the Common- Seamen. wealth.¹

The municipal law which had been in operation since 1569 in relation to the annual selection of Mayor. Annual selection. the Mayor was altered in 1653, but the former arrangement was reverted to in 1657.²

Within Dublin and its liberties the main burthen of administering justice devolved upon the Mayor, who had thus occasionally but little Mayor. time to transact important civic business.³

The Mayors, Daniel Hutchinson and Richard Hutchinson. Tighe, whose names occur frequently in these Tighe. records, sat as representatives from the city of Members of parliament. Westminster. Dublin in the parliaments at Westminster in 1654 and 1656, and for their expenses in attending

¹ See p. 557.² See p. 113.³ See p. 94.

there special allowances were voted to them by the municipal council.¹

John Preston and Thomas Hooke, who succeeded Hutchinson in the Mayoralty, were with him, as Independent church "elders," appointed treasurers for receiving all moneys collected in the realm of Ireland for the distressed Protestants of Savoy.

A view of Dublin, showing the harbour and forts, the city and hills in the distance, was engraved on the obverse of Oliver Cromwell's great seal for Ireland. Oliver's second son, Henry Cromwell, on his arrival at Dublin, as a member of the governmental council for Ireland, was received by the Mayor, Sheriffs and Aldermen with the herald at arms "in all the formalities and pomp they could possibly express." Henry Cromwell was present in 1656, at the renewal of the civic demonstration at Cullen's Wood.² In the same year he was presented with the freedom of Dublin, and entertained at a banquet.³ On the birth of his son the city was illuminated with bonfires, and three "fair pieces of plate" were presented for the infant by the municipal council on occasion of his public baptism in Christ church Cathedral.⁴

When Oliver Cromwell was proclaimed at Dublin

¹ See pp. 103, 123.

^{2, 3, 4} See pages 90, 92, 119.

as Protector, on the 9th of July, 1657, music, with drums and trumpets, was supplied at the city cost, as well as hogsheads of French wine, which were “hung up and spent in public.”¹

Henry Cromwell, appointed lord deputy of Ireland by his father in November, 1657, was, in October, 1658, constituted lord lieutenant by his brother Richard. Complaints were made by Henry Cromwell to his friends in London, that the members of the English government in Ireland combined against him and evinced a spirit of contradiction to his views.

The municipal council of Dublin was urged by Henry Cromwell to put the city in a state to secure the inhabitants from any attempt which might be made by “the Irish Papists and other common enemies.”² With this view two civic regiments were formed, one within the city, consisting of nine companies, the other in the suburbs, composed of ten companies. The Mayor for the time being was appointed commander-in-chief, with authority to give commissions to all the officers.³ Among the latter were two ex-Mayors, Richard Tighe, colonel of foot, and Daniel Hutchinson, captain of the horse. Tighe and Hutchinson were also “elders” of the Independent church.

¹ See pages 90, 92, 119.

^{2, 3} See pages 162, 171.

Civic
property.

The terms on which civic property, both in town and country, was leased, in the time of the Commonwealth, are exhibited in the documents before us. Their contents also furnish materials in illustration of city life and industrial pursuits at that period. References occur to the bowling alley, bull baiting, daily tolling of the city bell, allowances for teachers of writing and arithmetic, and for city musicians, arrangements for water supply, ferry, fish market, scavenging, pavements, quays, streets, licences for carts, and measures to check fraudulent practices in the preparation of leather for sale.

Bowling
alley.Bull bait-
ing.

Musicians.

Water.

Streets.

Leather.

Franchise.

Maces.

Silver plate.

Amongst those admitted to the franchise during the Commonwealth period were surgeons, goldsmiths and a "limner." Six silver maces were, at a cost of sixty-six pounds, purchased for the Mayor's officers; and gilt plates, as well as a "fair, large" silver tray, were also acquired for the city use.¹

Women.
Maidens.

Streets.

A complaint was addressed to the municipal council in 1659, in relation to the great number of "idle women and maidens," who constantly sat in most of the streets of the city selling apples, oranges, lemons; while others trafficked in eggs, hens and various commodities, "to the great pre-

¹ See pages 32, 98, 104

judice of the inhabitants." There were also said to be in the city "many idle boys," without "any ^{Boys.} lawful calling or way of livelihood." Beadles and constables were appointed to arrest such persons and to confine them in a large cage set in the ^{Cage. Corn market.} Corn market, till they were examined and punished according to law.¹ This cage, it was added, was "to be built at the city charge." It may be mentioned that measures for the forcible depor- ^{Deporta- tion,} tion of Irish boys and girls to Jamaica were ^{Irish boys and girls.} advocated and promoted by Henry Cromwell during his tenure of office in Ireland.

Of interest in connection with the Commonwealth period are the Dublin census returns for ^{Dublin census, 1659.} 1659, the earliest of their class now extant in Ireland, and printed for the first time in the present volume.² These returns are arranged under parishes, streets and wards. In each case ^{Parishes. Streets. Wards.} are stated the total number of inhabitants, and the respective numbers of English and Irish people. ^{Numbers.} Names are also given of "tituladoes," but of the ^{Population.} precise meaning assignable to that designation no explanation appears. The civil or military ranks, professions, or occupations are frequently specified in the returns, and many of the "tituladoes" are styled esquires" and "gentlemen."

¹ See page 157.

² See pages 560-571.

Population
of Dublin,
1659.

English.

Irish.

Names,

The total population of Dublin, in 1659, as given in these returns, was 8,780, of whom 6,459 are styled English, and 2,321 are set down as Irish. To the returns a list is appended of the principal Irish names of persons in Dublin, with the numbers of those individuals by whom each of them was borne.¹

Bills of
mortality.

No reference to these census returns appears in the municipal records. The latter contain an entry² relative to weekly bills of mortality prepared at Dublin in 1658, a date earlier than has hitherto been assigned for their existence there.

Restoration.
Charles II.

Movements towards the restoration of Charles II., in their early stages, received support in Dublin.

Dublin
castle.

Convention.

The Mayor, Sheriffs and municipal council co-operated with the officers of the army, who seized Dublin castle in December, 1659, and issued a manifesto, soon followed by a convention, which led to the restoration of the king.³ The fourth of May,

Thanks-
giving day,
1660.

1660, was observed in Dublin as a thanksgiving day for the restoration of Charles II.⁴ Representatives

Public act.

were dispatched by the municipal council to congratulate him at London, and a public act was passed for the acceptance of the terms specified in the royal declaration issued from Breda.⁵

Proclama-
tion, 1660.

On the 14th of May the king was proclaimed at

¹ *ee* page 571.

² *ee* page 154.

^{3, 4, 5} *ee* pages 180-183.

Dublin, with the formalities described at page 572. The regiments of the city marched to Ox-^{City regiments.} mantown Green, and there took the oaths of allegiance and supremacy in presence of the lords justices and council.¹

Under the Cromwellian administration the sanitary condition of the city had been so much neglected, that the House of Commons at Dublin, in 1661, addressed a peremptory monition² on the subject to the Mayor, requiring him to take immediate steps to remedy the numerous annoyances which, it was averred, tended to corrupt the air and to endanger the health of the people. Among the evils complained of were the large number of beggars, with infectious diseases, the broken state and foulness of the streets, in which offal was heaped, and through which swine roamed and fed without restriction; the river, it was added, might soon be impeded in its course by the quantities of rubbish daily cast upon its banks.

William Davys, recorder of Dublin, has left some memoranda, which appear in the present volume,³ on the circumstances under which he obtained appointment to that office in 1660-61. George Monk, duke of Albemarle, lord lieutenant

¹ See page 208.

² Journals of the house of commons

in Ireland, i., 406, 562.

³ Pages 574-578.

of Ireland, addressed a letter¹ to the municipal council in favour of Davys, who was subsequently knighted and elected a representative in parliament for the city of Dublin.

Charles II. Charles II. publicly expressed his gratitude to the citizens of Dublin for the services which they had rendered to his father and himself.² He conferred on the Mayor the right to have a cap of maintenance borne before him. A collar of SS., and the command of a foot company in the standing army in Ireland³ were likewise given by the king to the Mayor. Charles II. further granted to the city a monopoly of ferries over the Liffey, and an annuity of five hundred pounds to be paid in perpetuity out of the revenue of Ireland.⁴

As one of the resources for augmenting the reduced revenue of the city, the municipal council in 1664 set on fee-farm leases in perpetuity the waste grounds or "out-skirts" of St. Stephen's Green.⁵ These were seventeen acres in extent, and it was decided⁶ that they might be made available "without any prejudice to the city." After a survey they were divided into plots or "proportions," as follow: North side, 33 plots; south, 24; east, 15; west, 18. The annual rents

¹ See pages 574-578. ^{2, 3, 4} See vol. i., pp. 42-54. ^{5, 6} See pages 257, 271, 297, 299-307.

were fixed at one penny per foot of twelve inches square on the east, north and west, and at half that rate on the southern part.¹

The claims of the applicants for leases of the Leases. plots of ground were decided by the casting of lots. Casting lots Each person who “drew” a plot paid ten shillings on every twelve pence of his rent. These sums were applied to wall in the whole Green and to Wall. pave the adjacent roads and streets. Six sycamore Pavement. Sycamore trees. trees were to be planted on each plot. It was stipulated that any buildings erected should Buildings. be of brick, stone and timber, roofed with tiles or slates, and have at least two floors. The first plot on each of the four sides of the Green fell Ground-plots. by lots as follows: North side, alderman Peter Wybrants; south, sir Daniel Bellingham; east, alderman Mark Quin; west, sir William Davys, Recorder of Dublin.

The municipal council notified that the whole design was “chiefly for the reputation, advantage, ornament and pleasure of the city.”²

City.

In further aid of the civic revenues, land on the east side of Oxmantown Green, from which Oxmantown Green. the city derived no profit, was in 1665 set on lease to freemen of Dublin.³ After survey the Survey. ground was divided into 97 “proportions,” or Division.

¹, ², See pages 257, 271, 297, 299-307.

³ See pages 323, 324, 327.

Rents. ground-plots. For each plot the rent was fixed at twenty shillings, with a fine of forty shillings.¹

Leases. The leases of the plots were issued in accordance with the results of the drawings of lots by the Mayor, recorder, aldermen and commons with the surveyor.²

Free school, Hospital. A portion of the ground in Oxmantown was allocated for a free school and hospital, in relation to which many particulars appear in the present volume, including the names of the benefactors, with details of materials and works paid for.³

Works. Of the city free school and schoolmasters, between 1660 and 1671, some particulars are extant in these rolls. William Hill, doctor of

City free school, Schoolmasters. divinity, was, in 1660, appointed schoolmaster by the municipal council, at an annual salary of fifteen pounds, with the use of the schoolhouse, on condition of teaching twenty children of poor freemen, at the charge of eighteen pence per quarter for each. The children were to be nominated by the Mayor, and the Sheriffs acted as

Teaching, Children. visitors, to see that the school was "well ordered and governed."⁴ Hill found the schoolhouse much decayed, and relinquished the mastership after a short tenure.⁵ His place as city schoolmaster

Visitation. School-house.

¹ 2, See pages 323, 324, 327.

³ See pages 324, 459, 485, 492; and

vol. i., p. 55.

⁴ 5, See pages 195, 207, 233, 326, 440, 548.

was filled by Francis Fletcher,¹ who induced the Fletcher. municipal council to have a chimney erected to a "large fair room, over the school." The chimney, Fletcher represented, would not only be very convenient and useful to himself, "but likewise to his successors and to all tender children," who, he Children. stated, "frequently make their address in cold weather to a strait little kitchen, scarce suitable to his own family."² Matthew Spring, master of Spring. arts, was, in 1668, appointed to the office of master of the free school of the city, "with all the perquisites thereof," and an order was made that visitations should be made by the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs on the fourth of December and the fourth of June annually.³ Spring was discharged from his employment in 1671, to make room for a schoolmaster from England.⁴

Authority given by Charles I. in 1641 for the assumption of the title of lord by the Mayor of Title of Lord Mayor. Dublin, for the time being, lay in abeyance till the attention of the municipal council was directed to it by Thomas, earl of Ossory, and his father, James, duke of Ormonde, viceroy of Ireland.

The council, in October 1665, resolved that Sir Daniel Bellingham. sir Daniel Bellingham, Mayor designate for the ensuing year, and his successors, should take

¹, ², ³, ⁴ See pages 195, 207, 283, 326, 440, 548.

upon them the title and dignity of Lord Mayor, pursuant to his late majesty's letters patent and the desire of the duke of Ormonde and his son, the earl of Ossory.¹

Bellingham, a Dublin goldsmith, served as Sheriff in 1655, had been knighted in 1662 by Ormonde, and acted as deputy in the exchequer to the vice treasurer, Arthur, earl of Anglesey.

Speech

Recorder.

In our Appendix² will be found the speech addressed to the viceroy by the recorder, sir William Davys, on the occasion of his presenting Bellingham as the Lord Mayor elect.³ On Ormonde's recommendation Bellingham was re-elected Lord Mayor in 1666, but he obtained exoneration on the ground that his continuance

¹ See page 351.

² See page 579.

³ On presenting the Mayor to the duke of Ormond, in 1663, Davys made the following observations in relation to the government of the city:—

“If your lordship please to view the fabrick of the present government of this citty, the most noble, ancient, faithful, and in the worst of tymes truly loyal citty, you will observe it much after the same figure, but in a coarser draught. For it appeares that all these perfections which may bee gathered from all these three severall kinds of government, monarchicall, aristocraticall and democraticall, doe most happily concur in the making up and compleating the present and ancient government of this citty. For have you not the prudent Maior, the prime magistrate, answering monarchy; the grave senators, the aldermen, answer-

ing aristocracy; and the understanding common answering democracy, which, being thus composed, twisted and knitt together, are as a three fould corde not easily broken and may not unaptly be resembled to the body of a man united in all its severall members, from head to foote, by such a strict conjunction, mutuall assistance and admirable sympathy under and with the government of the head, as they are all carried on with one voluntary consent to supply the defects of each other? This, my lord, is the government, these the governours of this citty, who now humbly present themselves unto your grace, according to the auncient and laudable custome of this citty—a citty of soe great antiquity as history must confess a failure in the discovery of its first foundation; of so great honor, as the most eloquent lose themselves in their encomiums of it.”

in the office would be a great hindrance to his majesty's service in the exchequer.¹ A baronetcy Exchequer. was conferred on Bellingham in 1667.

In acknowledgment of the benefits received by Dublin through the intervention of the duke of Duke of Ormonde. Ormonde, the municipal council presented to him a costly gold cup, with a grant of the freedom of Gold cup. Franchise. the city, enclosed in a golden box, and the Recorder was desired to entertain him on his Recorder. arrival in Dublin with an "oration of hearty Oration. welcome."

The council granted Ormonde, free of rent, Grant to Ormonde. seven acres of ground on the northern side of the city, where he intended to erect a mansion with extensive gardens. At his entrance into Dublin as viceroy, in October 1665, Ormonde was received with unusual pageantry. At St. City pageantry, 1665. James' gate he was met by the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs and Aldermen, and attended through the streets to the Castle by them, with a procession composed of peers, privy councillors, citizens, battle-axe guards, horse and foot soldiers, drummers and trumpeters. Living personations of Ceres, Bacchus and Vulcan, with appropriate attendants and accessories, appeared on platforms in the streets, and wine flowed abundantly from a Wine. conduit in the Corn market. Conduit.

¹ See pages 374, 382.

Ormonde's distinguished son, Thomas Butler, earl of Ossory, born in Kilkenny, acted as his deputy in the government of Ireland, in 1664-5 and 1667-9.

On the recommendation of lord Ossory, the municipal council conferred the lucrative post of clerk of the Tholsel on the Recorder, sir William Davys, among whose qualifications was that of being a "town-born child" of Dublin.

A petition was addressed to lord Ossory, as deputy governor, by the Mayor and municipal council, with the object of arresting movements on foot in London for the exclusion of Ireland from trade with the Canary Islands.

The petitioners represented that the most profitable part of the foreign trade of Dublin merchants was that with the Canary Islands, to which they exported tallow, butter, beef, mutton, friezes, tanned leather, staves, pilchards, herrings and other Irish commodities. Restraints imposed on this commerce would, the petitioners averred, seriously prejudice various interests in Ireland.

Lord Ossory's tenure of office terminated with the transfer of the viceroyalty from the duke of Ormonde to John, lord Roberts, who landed at Howth in September, 1669. The municipal council in the following year presented the earl of Ossory with the freedom of Dublin, as a

“monument of the city’s gratitude and affection.”
 Ossory, in a letter of acknowledgment, referred as Letter.
 follows to his early associations with Dublin, during
 his father’s first viceroyalty :¹ “The beginning
 of my life, if infancy can be so called, was within
 your jurisdiction, and my first entrance into
 public employments was the care of that kingdom
 of which your town is the first and most con-
 siderable. . I shall,” he added, “ever be to
 the city of Dublin a most faithful citizen and
 affectionate servant.”

Complications in connexion with the Govern-
 mental demands on the city for supplies to
 soldiery in Dublin, arose between the municipal
 council² and lord Roberts. His viceroyalty ter- Roberts,
viceroy.
 minated in February, 1669-70, when he was
 succeeded in office by John, lord Berkeley. Lord
Berkeley.

Laws were re-enacted by the municipal council
 to exclude Roman Catholics from any share in Exclusion.
Roman
Catholics.
Commerce.
 the legalized commerce or trades of the city, or
 the administration of its affairs. Catholics were
 decreed to be inadmissible to apprenticeship or Apprentice-
ship.
 to the franchise.³ Each Protestant applicant, Franchise.
 qualified for admission to the franchise, was bound Admission.
 to come, with musket in hand, before the Mayor
 and Sheriffs, and on his knees to take the oath
 prescribed for “freemen.”⁴

¹ From 1643 to 1647. See vol. iii., p. xxx. ^{2, 3, 4} See pages 198, 480, 528.

An unsuccessful effort was made by the municipal council to induce Government to exempt Dublin from the operation of the statute enacted by the parliament there for encouraging "Protestant strangers" to "inhabit and plant" in Ireland.

Silver mace. A "great silver mace," to be borne before the Lord Mayor was purchased by the city from sir Daniel Bellingham¹ and a master of civic ceremonies and yeoman of the Lord Mayor's wardrobe were appointed.² The nomination of a master of the company of musicians to the city,³ with a right to fees, appears in 1667, but details are not given on this subject.

Attendance on Lord Mayor. Attire. Aldermen, Sheriffs' peers, members of the city council, and masters of gilds were bound, under money penalties, to attend the Lord Mayor on state occasions, in gowns, caps and hoods. An alderman who failed to dine, in his gown, with the Lord Mayor on quarter day, incurred a fine of five shillings, and half that amount was imposed on each Sheriff's peer who absented himself from the entertainment.⁴ Considerable grants were made to the Lord Mayor, from time to time, towards maintaining hospitality, and to support the honour and dignity of the magistracy of the city.⁵

¹, ², ³, ⁴ See pages 289, 291, 391, 412, 424, 440, 443.

⁵ See pages 203, 224, 359, 417, 449.

Regulations for the management of the water-course and the supply of water were made by ^{Water supply.} the council in 1663. A scale of annual charges ^{Charges.} was fixed for each of the following classes: private householders, twenty shillings; brewers, whole- ^{Brewers.} sale, four pounds; retail, one pound ten shillings; malsters, distillers and innkeepers, ten pounds ^{Distillers. Innkeepers.} and ten shillings; soap boilers, one pound and ^{Soap-boilers.} ten shillings; carriers of water for brewing, forty shillings. Double these rates were chargeable to persons who were not freemen of the city.¹ The water was conveyed chiefly through pipes of elm ^{Pipes.} trees, brought from England, as funds were not available for the purchase of an adequate quantity of leaden tubes.²

To remove the annoyances arising from the numerous hackney coaches, in the streets, regu- ^{Hackney coaches.} lations were made in 1667, by which their number ^{Number.} was limited to thirty, with horses of at least fourteen "full hands" high. The fares in the ^{Fares.} city were fixed at one shilling from place to place, or one shilling for the first hour and eight pence for each subsequent hour. Eight shillings per day of twelve hours was the fare for a coach and coachman with two horses in the city, or within six miles of it. Every coachman was bound

^{1, 2} See pages 212, 413, 427, 462, 489, 508.

to have his name and number "painted in oil colour on the hinder part of his coach," as in London. The owners, as well as the drivers of the coaches, were required to take out licences and to make annual payments for them. The localities assigned to the thirty coaches were as follow: ten in St. Thomas-street, six in Castle-street, four in St. Werburgh's-street, and ten at College Green.¹ Thirty coaches were subsequently found to be inadequate, and the number was in 1670 increased to fifty, all of which were required to stand for hire in places assigned to them by the Lord Mayor.²

As numbers of "loose, idle and disordered persons" frequented the city and suburbs, selling apples, nuts, "sneezing salt," tobacco and other commodities, the Aldermen were enjoined to remove them from their wards, and to allow fruit to be sold solely by "ancient" men or women of the city, provided with annual licences.³

For the sellers of poultry, wild fowl, rabbits and "such like things," the erection was suggested of a "convenient shed" under which they might "stand dry." This arrangement was represented to be necessary to buyers and sellers. A complaint was added that the streets were

¹, ², ³ See pages 212, 413, 427, 462, 489, 506.

much "pestered with hucksters, sitting under Hucksters.
 bulks and stalls," so that coaches or carts could
 not well "pass or turn."¹ Measures were taken
 to restrict the sale of fish to the fish market. Fish
market.
 It was well supplied with water and fish boards,
 and contained twenty-seven stalls, each of which Stalls.
 was leased at fifty-two shillings per annum. Any
 fish-vendor, not a leaseholder, paid sixpence for Fish
vendors.
 every day he stood in the market. Twopence
 per day was charged to each of the poor women Women.
 who, "on their backs," brought fish for sale.
 Mention is made of a statue which stood in the Statue.
 fish market at this time. The city lessee of the
 fish market was bound to present annually to the
 Lord Mayor six salmon and three couple of ling. Salmon.
Ling.

The municipal council adopted precautionary
 measures in 1665 to prevent the extension of the
 plague from London, between which city and Plague in
London,
1665.
 Dublin there was "continual trade." Two houses
 were erected at the public cost on the island of
 Clontarf for the reception of passengers and Clontarf.
 merchandize arriving in the harbour of Dublin.

For the relief of sufferers from the fire at Fire at
London,
1666.
 London in 1666, persons were nominated in every
 parish in Dublin to collect contributions in money
 or bullocks.

¹ See pages 212, 413, 427, 462, 489, 508.

City clock. An annual stipend of four pounds was paid to a watchmaker as keeper of the clock of the city.

In 1666, it was represented that for the "benefit and honor of the city" it was necessary that a good sun-dial, "made by some knowing artist," should be erected on the bridge of Dublin, to "stand to future times for the use of the inhabitants and others."

Cathedrals. The deans of the two cathedrals in Dublin obtained municipal permission in 1668 to solicit subscriptions in the city to pay for "tuneable rings of large bells, and fair audible clocks and chimes"—to be made by a bell-founder from Bristol. The municipal council, in granting the permission, stipulated that the tolling of the great bell of Christ Church should be continued, as of old, at four o'clock in the mornings and at nine in the evenings. Of the new bells, six were rung in Christ Church for the first time on 30 July, 1670, and eight in St. Patrick's Cathedral on 23 September in the same year.

Old
bowling
alley.

Church of
St.
Andrew.

The "old bowling alley," adjacent to College Green, was granted by the municipal council in 1668 as a site for a church for the parish of Saint Andrew. The churchwardens and parishioners covenanted to keep a convenient, large seat in the church for the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs and

other citizens to sit in as often as they might think fit.

By a lease in 1671 the council relinquished the city's right in connection with the "mount," near College Green, portions of which had long been maintained intact, as a public place of view for the use of the citizens.

In Oxmantown, the northern portion of the city, a bowling-green was formed, with a "banquetting house," for the accommodation of visitors.

Between this bowling-green and the Liffey, waste ground was levelled and planted with elms and sycamores, as a convenient walking place.

Oxmantown Green was also walled in and put in "decent order" as a resort for the citizens and

for the exercise of militia and soldiery. Some portions of Oxmantown Green were bestowed by the city on sir George Lane, secretary of state,

in gratitude for his "great pains" in procuring the king's concessions to Dublin. A piece of plate, worth fifty pounds, was voted to the wife of sir Theophilus Jones, for his exertions in obtaining the royal grant of a foot company for the Mayor, as well as for his "affectionate care for the city and its concerns."

Grants of the freedom of the city to persons of importance were, at this time, usually presented in

Silver
boxes.

silver boxes engraved with coats of arms of the recipients. In connection with the annual civic displays on Easter Monday, at Cullen's Wood, a pension was granted to Thomas Bird, trunk-maker, and freeman of Dublin, who accidentally received a shot there, which necessitated the amputation of his right arm.

Cullen's
Wood.

Appren-
tices.

Journey-
men.

Bridge.

A declaration was adopted by the municipal council in July, 1671, against riotous apprentices and journeymen who had with violence attempted to pull down a bridge in progress of erection to the west of the old bridge, and which, it was apprehended, might be prejudicial to local interests. In these disturbances some lives were lost through a conflict with the soldiery, and the structure became known as the "bloody bridge."

Gates of
city.

The manifesto of the municipal council condemnatory of the rioters was fixed on each of the gates of the city.

Projected
bridge.

As a private enterprise, the erection of another bridge over the Liffey in the eastern suburb of Dublin was projected in 1670, but the municipal council declined to incur any responsibility in connexion with the undertaking.

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IV.—CALENDAR OF ROLLS¹

OF

THE CITY OF DUBLIN.

XIII.—ASSEMBLY ROLL, 1651—1660.

Memorandum: That the sixe and twentieth day of ^{1651,} April 10.
 Aprill, anno Domini one thousand six hundred fiftie
 and one, in an assemblie then holden, Raphael Hunt,
 esquire, Maior of the cittie of Dublin, Richard Cooke ^{Mayor.}
 and George Gilbert, Sheriffes of the said cittie, these ^{Sheriffs.}
 orders and constitutions following were made and ^{Orders.}
 established in full assemblie then holden : <sup>Constitu-
tions.</sup>

Orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine the
 commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that
 whereas there is an acte of assemblie settinge forth that
 not any of the cittie revenew should bee sett without <sup>City
revenue.</sup>
 threereadings, and whereas there is urgent necessitie at
 present for monney for defrayeing of the chardge of
 monneyes formerly disbursed about the pesthouse, and ^{Pesthouse.}
 now alsoe for the courtes of garde for fire and candles, <sup>Courts of
guard.</sup>
 as alsoe for the buildeinge of Newgate, which monney ^{Newgate.}
 cannott bee had noe other way then by morgadgeinge
 some of the cittie land, they therefore desired that it ^{City land.}
 might bee enacted, in this present assemblie, that the
 lawe of three readings might bee suspended as to this par-
 ticuler, and that at the first readinge the said morgadge ^{Mortgage.}
 might bee perfected; alwayes provided that the same
 bee noe president in the future or violacion to the lawe

¹ In continuation from vol. iii., p. 518.

1651. of three readings hereafter : it is therefore ordered and Roll xiii.
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agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that
the petitioners request aforesaid shalbee and is hereby
graunted.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that
whereas there is present occasion for payment of
Pesthouse, monneyes disbursed for the pesthouse, and to provide
coales, fire and candles for the courtes of garde and for
the buildeinge of Newgate, which, by reason of the
absence of divers of the able inhabitantes of this cittie
Mortality, and the greate mortalitie that latelie hath beene here,
Cess, and in regard it is not convenient to lay soe much cesse
on the cittie at present, the said commons therefore
desired that some of the cittie land might bee morgadged
Huchinson, to Alderman Daniel Huchinson, or some other, for some
certaine somme of money for dischardgeinge the aforesaid
charge : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by
the forsaid authoritie, that there shalbee two hundred
Loan, and fourscore pounds, sterling, borrowed from Alderman
Daniel Huchinson over and above the two hundred and
twentie pounds already borrowed of him, for which
Mortgage, five hundred poundes hee is to have a morgadge to him
Clontuirke, and his heires for ever of the towne and lands of Clontuirke
and the tiethes thereof, and the said five hundred
Repayment, pounds is to bee repaied at any time within three
monthes notice after the expiracion of one yeare, the
notice to bee lefte in writeinge with the Maior of the
said cittie for the time being; which monneyes are to
bee expended as in the petition aforesaid is expressed.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that Adryan Stronge, virginal¹ maker, shall have
the place of master of the house of correccion of this
cittie dureing the pleasure of the cittie, and that hee
shall finde a house for that imployment convenient and

Adryan
Stronge.
Virginal-
maker.
House of
correction.

¹ A musical instrument used by ladies.

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m. 22.

fitt, and shall finde a servant, for which hee is to have 1651.
from the cittie dureing his employement in the said office
the somme of thirtie pounds per annum, to bee paid by
the thesaurer on the Maiors warrant.

m. 22 b.

1651, June 27.—Whereas certaine of the commons
preferred petition unto this assembly, sheweing that
whereas by the rebellion and tenn yeares time of warre War.
now last past, as alsoe by the heavie plague whereby Plague.
this cittie is exceedinglie depopulated, at least one halfe Depopula-
of the number of houses that were therein pulled downe - tion.
and destroyed,¹ and the houses that remaine are very
much decayed and ruined, and by reason of the want of
artificers and workemen the said houses cannott be re- Artificers.
payred, as by severall good testimonies is too evident, and Workmen.
alsoe by their said petition sheweinge that by the meanes
aforesaid the number of tradesmen manufacture[r]s are Tradesmen.
growen verie fewe, and of some callings there are scarce Manufac-
any left, whereby this cittie and all this dominion is turers.
disappointed and in want of many necessities that are
usefull, and the makeinge whereof here in this cittie
would bee of greate profit and advantage to the citzizens
in generall, and alsoe to the commonwealth; the said
commons therefore prayed the said assemblee to take
the premises into consideracion, and to declare some
incouragment to bee tendred to the honorable the com- Commis-
missioners of parliament, with their suite unto them, sioners of
that the same might bee declared in Bristoll, London, parliament.
and other partes of England, for the procureinge of Bristol.
artificers to come over to dwell and settle in this cittie, London.
which will tend to the supplie of the wants aforesaid: Artificers.
the said assemblee haveinge taken the proposicion in the
forsaid petition mencioned into serious consideracion,
and in regard it is manifest that by reason of the
rebellion and tenn yeares warre in this land, and of the

¹ See vol. iii., p. xxxi.

1651. Plague.	late grievous and heaue visitacion by the plague on the inhabitantes of this citty, that the same is in a manner	Roll xiii. m. 22 b.
Houses.	depopulated and well neere the one halfe of the houses that were therein pulled downe, ruined and otherwise destroyed, and that severall of the houses remayneinge	
Decay.	are in decay and in danger to bee ruined for want of artificers and workemen to repaire them; and whereas by the calamitie aforesaid the number of manufacture	
Trades.	men are reduced to a very fewe, there beinge some trades whereof there are scarce any left in this cittie, whereby not onely the inhabitantes of this cittie, but the rest of	
Neces- saries.	the land, are destitute and in want of many necessaries which are usefull for the commonwealth, and that the	
Advance- ment of manufac- tures.	advancement of manufactures in this cittie wilbee of greate advantage not onely towards the enricheinge of the inhabitantes, but alsoe will replenish the said cittie with able and fitt inhabitantes for the necessarie defencee thereof in time of danger; uppon which consideracons it is conceived necessarie that manufacture tradesmen	
Invitation.	bee invited to repaire hither to inhabitt: it is therefore ordered, enacted and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that applicacon shalbee made in the name of the Maior. Sheriffs, commons and cittizens of this cittie, unto the right honorable the commissioners of parliament, to bee signed with the hands of the Maior and Sheriffs of this cittie, declareinge the above meneioned consideracons and our resolucions therein; and to desire them that they wilbee instrumentall to bringe into this	
Applica- tion.	cittie a number of manufacture men that are Englishmen and Protestants, such as are of honest life and conversation, to come and inhabitt and use their severall trades and manufactures in this cittie, and as many as shall, on their invitation resorte hither to inhabitt within the space of three yeares next after the date hereof, shalbee admitted freemen of this cittie without disturbance or molestacon, soe as they petition on their cominge hither to bee admitted to the freedome thereof, paying	
Immigra- tion. English- men. Protest- ants.		

Roll xiii.
m. 22 b.

as others that have served their apprenticeships with such as have purchased their freedoms, which is ^{1651.} ^{Admis-} ^{sions to} ^{franchise.} ^{Payments.} twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid within a year quarterly by five shillings a quarter from the time of their admittance.

1651. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

m. 23.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas John ^{John Byssie,} ^{recorder.} Byssie, esquire, recorder of this city of Dublin, preferred petition unto this assembly, shewing that whereas he holdeth a plot of ground in Saint Thomasstreet, on ^{St. Thomas' street.} which formerly there stood a thatched house, for which he was to pay fifty shillings, sterling, per annum, and that soon after the beginning of the rebellion the said house yielded little or no rent unto him, and thereupon this city was pleased to reduce his said rent to thirty shillings, sterling, per annum, and that in the year one thousand, six hundred, forty five the said house was ^{1645.} burnt, since which time he hath paid the rent thereof constantly, and hath received no rent thereout, to his great prejudice; and therefore prayed this assembly (that inasmuch as he hath paid for these seven years past a dead rent) to remit unto him some considerable part of his rent, or otherwise to accept of a surrender of his interest in the premises: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority of this said assembly, that the petitioner shall have a release under the city seal ^{City seal.} of all the rent reserved on the premises during his term (except fifteen shillings, sterling), which he is to pay during his said term for the reasons above mentioned.

[2.] It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Mr. Charles Forster, alderman ^{Charles Forster.} (for certain reasons and considerations set forth in his petition to this assembly), shall be remitted all the ^{Remission.} arrears of rent due or payable by him out of two tenements without Newgate, holden by him from this ^{Newgate.}

1651. citty (and by reason of the approachinge of the rebells Roll xiii. m. 23 hither to this cittie were pulled downe), from Michaelmas, one thowsand, six hundred, fortie and one, untill this present.

Richard Tighe.

Newgate.

Wybrants. Gilbert.

[3.] Whereas Mr. Richard Tighe, alderman, petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath disbursed for the rebuldeinge of Newgate the somme of foure hundred, seventie sixe poundes, one shillinge and eight pence, sterling, as by the particulers thereof and the accompte at lardge may appeare, beinge cast upp by Mr. Peter Wybrantes, alderman, and Mr. George Gilbert, one of the Sheriffes, by the appointment of the right worshipfull the Maior of this cittie, and delivered uppon oath by the petitioner, whereof hee hath receaved but onelie eightie foure pounds and foure pence, sterling, soe that there doth remayne due to him the full somme of three hundred, ninetic two pounds, one shilling and foure pence, sterling, besides what this worshipfull assemblie should thinke fitt to give him for his owne expence and chardge for carrying on the worke; and therefore hee prayed this said assemblie to lay downe a course in the same, whereby hee might bee satisfied of his said demaunds: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that whereas it appeareth that the said petitioner hath disbursed on the said buldeinge over and above the somme of two hundred and fiftie poundes agreed to be paid unto him by the articles of agreement made betwixt him and the aldermen of this cittie, the somme of two hundred, twentie sixe poundes, one shilling and eight pence, which maketh in all foure hundred, seventie six poundes, eleven shillings and foure pence, of which hee hath receaved the somme of eightie foure pounds and foure pence, and the remaynder, beinge the somme of three hundred, ninetic two pounds, one shilling and foure pence, hath beene expended by the encouradgment of severall of the table of aldermen, or otherwise the said worke would have beene very incon-

Table of aldermen.

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m. 23.

venient for the use of the cittie : it is therefore ordered ^{1651.} and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said Alderman Richard Tighe shall receave from the treasurer of this cittie, on Mr. Maior's warrant, for monneyes expended on the said buildinge, the said somme of three hundred, ninetie two pounds, one shilling and foure pence, sterling, over and above what hee hath receaved in full satisfaction of his demaunds for the said buildinge.

[4.] Whereas the said Mr. Richard Tighe, by his ^{Richard Tighe.} petition unto the said assemblie, prayed to have graunted unto him a lease for tearme of sixtie one yeares on a parcell of Saint Johns lane without Newgate, beinge in ^{St. John's lane. Newgate.} the backe parte of his now dwelling house, contayning in length thirtie five yardes or thereaboutes, and in breadth foure yardes or thereaboutes, at some small rent as should bee thought fitt, and hee would undertake to make a better lane than that is now, and more convenient for the inhabitantes thereaboutes : it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said Alderman Richard Tighe shall have a lease for tearme of sixtie one yeares, to beginn from Michaelmas next, uppon the forsaid parcell of Saint Johns lane, at the yearelie rent of five shillings, sterling, hee first makeing another lane as in the petition is propounded, and that hee shall warrant the lane soe promised, and that the inhabitantes of this cittie shall quietlie enjoy the same durning the said sixtie one yeares, or else this lease of the lane leased to bee voyde.

[5.] Whereas Elinor Pemberton, widdowe, preferred ^{Pemberton.} petition unto this assemblie, sheweing that wheras her late husband, Alderman Thomas Pemberton, deccased, had a lease of a house in Sheepstreete, and a little plott ^{Sheep street.} of ground at the rent of sixe pounds per annum, and that the petitioner, since her said husbands death, haveing not onely spent in repairing the said house to make it tenantable . . .¹ and meanes shee had, but to per-

¹ Ms. obliterated.

1651. forme the same hath beene [forced] to . . . in debt, soe Roll xiii.
m. 23.
 Rent. as sh e is thereby disinabled to pay the rent that . . .
 Abatement. arreare to this cittie, and therefore prayed this assemblie
 to [abate unto her out of] the said rent what they should
 thinke fitt, as well for the time past as to come: it is
 therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie,
 that in regard the petitioner's husband died in the cittie
 service, that shee shalbee abated the one moytie of [the
 rent which] shall growe due out of the said house and
 plott of ground or parke for [the space of] fourteene
 yeares from this time.

[6.] Whereas Joell Barney petitioned unto the said m. 23 b.
 assemblie, settinge forth [that hee] hath beene imployed,
 ever since Michaelmas last, to [receave into his custodie
 Fuel. such] coales, firrs and other fuell for firing [and such
 Candles. candles as should bee] bought from time to time by
 this cittie duriinge this present yeare for the [severall]
 Courts of courtes of garde thereof, and to deliver forth the same
 guard. [everie day] . . . hee hath carefully done untill this
 present, and to that end [hath beene] at . . . charge
 in keeping a servant to assist him therein, for which hee
 hath . . . receaved noe satisfaction or payment as
 yet, and therefore [the petitioner] . . . prayed this
 assemblie to lay downe a course therein, whereby [hee
 might bee] satisfied not onely for the time past, but
 likewise for the time to come duriing the said yeare: it
 is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie afor-
 said, that the petitioner shall receave for his paines,
 since hee undertooke the said imployment, the somme
 of twelve pounds, sterling, for a yeare, to bee paid,
 the one moytie in hand by warrant from Mr. Maior, and
 the other moytie at the yeares end, on the warrant of
 the Maior for the time beinge directed to the treasurer.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 24, 24 b.
 fine of a piece of plate to city: sir Robert Newcomen,
 baronet, Robert Percivall, gentleman. By special grace,
 and on fine of “a case of knives” to city: John Rutter,

Roll xiii.
m. 24, 24 b.

cutler. By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves 1651.
from each to the Mayor: John Smith, John Corker,
Thomas Mayhew, William Hulett, merchants, Martin
Calthorpe, tailor. By special grace, and on fines: Owen
Jones, Henry Jephson, Thomas Blyth, merchants, Thomas
Taylor, goldsmith, Thomas Williams, cooper, John
Rogers, John Davies, Patrick Dowlinge, carpenters,
William Blackborne, Simon Harris, William Locke,
Roger Bosse, smiths, James Guy, Richard Palfrey, shoe-
makers, Francis Bushopp, tailor, Thomas Hoy, Thomas
Barton, Hugh Bagnall, cooks, Philip Hardinge, helier,
Richard Hartley, clothier, Patrick Hanron, bricklayer,
Nicholas Wallace, joiner. Admitted, on having served
apprenticeships: Richard Browne, Thomas Orr, John
Sergeant, merchants, Thomas Rutter, glazier, Patrick
Byrne, carpenter, Rowland Davies, John Donnogh,
smiths. As daughter of a freeman: Joanna Wilcock-
son, maiden.

m. 25.

1651. Third Friday after 29 September.¹

Mayor: Richard Tighe, esquire. Sheriffs: John Browne
and Ridgley Hatfeild. Mayor,
Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Peter Wy-
brants, alderman, is chosen treasurer of this cittie of Treasurer.
Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

[2.] Mr. George Gilbert and Mr. Richard Cooke are Masters of
works.
chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Raphael Hunt, Auditors.
Mr. Robert Bennett, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas
Wakefield, Mr. William Smith, Mr. Sankey Sullyard,
Mr. Robert Deey, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Nathaniel
Drinkwater, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. John Woods, Mr.
John Desmineere, Mr. Marcus Quine, Mr. John Eastwoode,
or any sixe of them, whereof Mr. Maior alwaies to bee
one, bee elected auditors of this cittie for the said yeare.

¹ For order of 4 October, 1651, see vol i., p. 39.

1651.
Hugh
Roberts. [4.] Whereas Hugh Roberts, servant unto Mr. Maior, Roll xiii.
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petitioned unto this assembly, praying to have graunted
unto him, for the use of his said master, towards the
Supporta- supportacion of the chardges of his Maioraltie this yeare,
tion, the somme of two hundred pounds, sterling, as others
Mayoralty. his predecessors have had: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the
Grant. petitioner shall have for the use of his said master, for
the supportacion of the chardge of his Maioraltie this
yeare, the somme of two hundred pounds, sterling, to bee
paied out of the fynes and casualties, the debts and
arreares due to this cittie, and what shalbee shorte to
pay him to bee made upp out of the cittie revenew, to
bee paied on Mr. Maiors warrant directed to the threasurer;
the said monneyes to bee paied quarterlie.
- Roberts. [5.] Whereas alsoe the said Hugh Roberts preferred
petition unto the said assembly, sheweing that his said
Disburse- master did disburse for and on the behalfe of this cittie
ments. severall sommes of monney for worke and other neces-
Work. saries touchinge the same, as by the particulers unto the
said petition annexed appereth, and were not chardged
Account. uppon his accompte by him given in unto this cittie, and
is not yett satisfied of the same, the said petitioner
therefore humbly prayed, for and on behalfe of his said
master, that a course might bee layde downe in this
assemblie for satisfying of the said monney: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that
Auditors. the auditors of this cittie (to whom the same is hereby
referred) shall examyne the said matter, and what they
shall finde to bee due Mr. Maior is hereby authorised to
issue warrant to the treasurer for the payment thereof.
- [6.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons peti-
tioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that severall
Aldermen: aldermen, videlicet, Mr. Edward Jans, Mr. Walter
Jans, Kennedy and Mr. John Carberie, have deserted theire
Kennedy, dwellings in this cittie and betaken themselves to live in
Carberie. the countrie, soe as they doe not continue to give theire
Absence.

Roll xiii.
m. 25

counsell and advise in any matter touching this cittie, ^{1651.} as they are bound unto, the said commons therefore ^{Counsel.} prayed the said assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby the forsaid severall aldermen might bee dismissed from giving any attendance to this cittie from ^{Dismissal.} henceforth: it is ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the above named aldermen, for the reasons in the petition mencioned, bee dischargd of being aldermen in this cittie for the time to come, and that others bee elected in their steedes to contribute their counsell to this cittie.

[7.] Grants of leases of portions of Sutter lane, for ^{Sutter lane} terms of forty-one years, at annual rents as follow: to John Preston, alderman, ten shillings; to Nathaniel ^{Preston.} Drinkewater, nine shillings; to Ridgley Hatfeild, eight ^{Drinke-} shillings. ^{water.} ^{Hatfeild.}

[8.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that Mr. Richard Heyden, Mr. Thomas Springham, Mr. John Wood, John Gough, John Eastwoode, William Best, John Desmineere, Mathew French, Mynard Christian and Thomas Blyth, merchants, shall have a lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares, begininge at Easter next, 1652, uppon the wast plott of ground on the Woodkea, formerlie demised by this cittie ^{Ground.} for an Exchange thereon to bee builded, at the yearelie ^{Wood-quay.} rent of fifteene pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, with ^{Exchange.} such other covenants, clauses and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt, and they to bee bound to lay out and bestowe five hundred pounds in buildeinge ^{Building.} thereuppon within seaven yeares; the land to bee sur- ^{Survey.} veighed by Mr. Maior, Mr. Treasurer, the alderman of the warde, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Richard Heyden, Mr. John Shephard, the master of the smithes and master ^{Smiths.} of the bakers, or any three of them, whereof the Maior ^{Bakers.} to bee alwayes one.

m. 25 b.

[9.] That Henry Powell, one of the waterbailiffes of ^{Henry} this cittie, shall have a lease for a tearme of fortie and ^{Powell,} ^{waterbailiff.}

1651. one yeares, to beginn at Easter next, uppon the red house Roll xiii.
m. 25 b.
Old Crane.

Capons. over the old Cranne, latelie in the tenure and occupacion of sergeant Robert Sauell, contayneing in length thirtie two foote, and in breadth twentie and one foote, at the yearelie rent of seaven pounds, sterling, to bee paid to the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge for the use of this cittie, and a cowple of fatt capons everie yeare at Christmas to the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge; with such other covenantes, condicions and clauses as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[10.] Whereas Laurence Cosgrave, shoemaker, preferred petition unto the said assembly, settinge forth that there was formerly graunted unto him a lease, for tearme of fortie and one yeares, at the yearelie rent of thirtie two shillings, sterling, uppon a parcell of wast ground lyeing and being on the Merchant Kea, and that the surveigh of the said ground was mistaken in the measuring thereof, and soe returned, in regard the said parcell of ground did not contayne soe much in length and breadth as was then certified, and that uppon a resurveigh thereof, made by order of assemblie and returned, it doth appeare that the same doth contayne in breadth, from the said Cosgraves land in the west unto Alderman Arthur his land in the east, but twelve foote, and from the pavement of the streete to the sowth eighteene foote, and noe more; hee therefore prayed this assemblie to take the premises into consideracion, and to graunt him a lease uppon the forsaid parcell of waste ground accordinge the said last surveigh, with such abatement of rent as should bee thought fitt, in respecte the said former surveigh was certified double the measure as it is now surveighed and returned for: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner shall have a lease uppon the said parcell of wast ground, according the forsaid last surveigh thereof, for tearme of fortie and one yeares, to beginn from Michaelmas last, at the yearelie rent of twentie

Ground.
Merchant-
quay.

Measure.

Resurvey.

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shillings, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of this 1651.
cittie (etc., as in No. 9).

[11.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that James Bushopp, administrator unto ^{Bushopp.}
Thomas Bushopp, alderman, deceased (for severall
reasons and motives expressed in his petition), shalbee
and is hereby remitted the arreares due to this cittie ^{Remission.}
uppon a small parcell of ground in Sutter lane, adjoyn- ^{Sutterlane.}
ing to the east end of Saint Nicholas church, ^{St. Nicholas'}
(whereon the forsaid Thomas Bushopp, the petitioners ^{church.}
grandfather, builded a small tenement), for tenn yeares
last past, hee paying the arreares due before the said
tenn yeares, and securing the groweing rent for the
time to come.

[12.] That Humphry Barry, for the reasons in his ^{Barry.}
petition mencioned, shalbee and is hereby remitted all ^{Remission.}
such arreares of rent as are due on him to this cittie
uppon one cellar and a lofte over the same, and a severall
garden thereunto adjoyneing, lately in the possession of
Mr. Richard Barry, alderman deceased, father unto the
petitioner, and now in the petitioners possession, scituatt
in Skippers lane within this cittie; and alsoe hee shalbee ^{Skippers}
remitted all his rent for the time to come dureing his ^{lane.}
lease, paying onelie the yearelie rent of twentie sixe
shillings and eight pence, sterling, from Michaelmas
laste.

[13.] Forasmuch as the master, wardens and corpora-
cion of butchers of this cittie petitioned unto the said ^{Butchers.}
assemblie, sheweinge that whereas their predecessors
auncientlie held and enjoyed the Fleshambles belonging ^{Flesh-}
to this cittie, being part of the cittie fee farme, untill of ^{ambles.}
late yeares, and paid thereout yearelie unto the Sheriffes ^{Sheriffs.}
of this cittie for the tyme being, the somme of tenn
pounds, Irish, rents, the forsakeing whereof hath beene
occasioned through these troublesome and distracted
times; and forasmuch as they are desirous to hold and
enjoy the said Fleshambles againe as their auncestors

1651. heretofore have done, and that noe use or benefitt hath beene made thereof by the petitioner or their predecessors for many yeares past, they therefore prayed this assemblie to restore them into the present possession thereof, and that they might enjoy the same in as ample and beneficiall manner as their auncestors heretofore have done, paying the forsaid yearelie rent, and that what arreares of rent are due thereout might for the reasons aforsaid bee remitted by an acte of this assemblie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioner shalbee and are hereby restored to the possession of the said Fleshambles, they keeping the same in good repaire, paying the rent of tenne pounds, sterling, by the yeare, and keeping upp the custome of bull-baitings as it was aunciently used; the said rent to bee paid to the Sheriffes of this cittie, to the use of the cittie, and all the arreares of rent due by the petitioners for the said shambles are hereby remitted according to the above requeste.
- Restoration of possession. Roll xiii. m. 25 b.
- Order. [14.] Whereas Henry Brereton, preacher of Gods word, preferred petition likewise unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the right of presentinge a minister or curatt to the churches or chappells of Clontoirke and Baldoyle, in the county of Dublin, doth belonge unto this cittie, and that the said places were destitute and-voyde of a minister by the death of the late incumbent of the same; in regard whereof, and that the petitioner hath once everie Lords day, for the yeare last past, preached at Clontoirke aforsaid, where he hath a very considerable auditorie; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to present, nominatt and appointe him to bee the minister of the said places. and to authorise him to call for, collecte and receave such accustomed perquisitts, proffitts and duties as were by the lawes of this land given and allowed to former ministers out of the said parishes of Clontoirke and Baldoyle, and the appurtenances thereunto respectivelie belonging, as alsoe such
- Custom of bull-baiting. m. 26.
- Henry Brereton, preacher. m. 26.
- Clontoirke. m. 26.
- Baldoyle. m. 26.
- Allowances to ministers.

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arreares as were the last yeare thence due, or otherwise 1651.
to allowe out of those places such competencie for the
petitioners paines as should bee thought fitt: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authority aforesaid, that
the petitioner shalbee and is hereby presented to the
said churches, and is to receave such perquisitts there-
unto belonginge as the former incumbent therein
receaved and enjoyed.¹

[15.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaide
authoritie, that Oliver Walsh shall have the place of
keeper of the gaole of Newgate of this cittie of Dublin,
together with the fees and perquisitts thereunto
belonginge, durance the pleasure of this cittie.

Oliver
Walsh,
Newgate.

[16.] Forasmuch as Cassandra Fyan, widdow, peti-
tioned unto this assembly, settinge forth that her late
deceased husband,² beinge swordbearer of this cittie,
uppon the audite of his accomptes there is remayneing
at this present due to the petitioner, as administratrix
unto her said husband, the somme of eightie eight pounds,
sterling; shee therefore humbly prayed this assemblie
to give direccions for the payment of the said monney or
soe much thereof as should bee thought fitt for the
present: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
said authoritie, that the petitioner bee paied the said
somme of eightie eight pounds, sterling, by the treasurer
of the cittie on Mr. Maiors warrant in order after the
cittie stipendaries.

Fyan.

Sword-
bearer

[17.] Whereas Dudley Russell, chirurgion, preferred
alsoe petition unto the said assembly, sheweinge that hee
was imployed by the late Maior, Alderman Raphael Hunt,
to make diligent inquirie of all persons infected with the
plague in this cittie, and to give an exacte accompte
thereof, to the end his worship might give order for
shuttinge upp their doores and for prevencion (by

Dudley
Russell
surgeon

Raphael
Hunt,
Mayor.

Plague.

Preven-
tion.

¹ In margin: "Commissioners Church
Temporalities v. Corporation of Dublin.
Rolls Court, 12 November, 1873.—Read

for defendants."

² Francis Fyan, *see* vol. iii, p. xxvi.

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Infection.

Gods assistanee) of further infection, in which in-
ment the petieioner hath, to the greate danger of his
life and losse of his famelie, dischardged his trust therein
for sixe monthes past without any satisfaction for the
same, and therefore hee humbly prayed this assemblie
to graunt him some reasonable satisfaction for his said
paines for these sixe monthes past, and to bee dischardged
for the time to come: it is therefore ordered and agreed,
by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petieioner shall have
five pounds, sterling, for his serviee done and to bee
done untill the next Midsommer, one moytie whereof is
to bee paied him in hand, and the other moytie at Mid-
sommer next, on Mr. Maiors warrant to the threasurer.

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Grant.

Murphie,
Gilbert,
Drink-
water,
aldermen.

[18.] Mr. John Murphie, Mr. George Gilbert and Mr.
Nathaniel Drinkewater are elected aldermen of this eittie
of Dublin.

Memorandum: That the third Friday next after the
feast of Saint Michael the Archangell, in the yeare of
our Lord God one thowsand, six hundred, fiftie and one,
Richard Tighe, esquire, Maior of the eittie of Dublin,
John Browne and Ridgley Hatfeild, Sheriffes of the said
eittie, all these under written persons were admitted to
the franchises and liberties of the forsaid eittie of Dublin
in full assemblie then holden:

Richard
Tighe,
Mayor.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

By speeial graee, and on fine of "a paire of gloves to
Mistris Maiorresse": Hugh Roberts, merehant, Richard
Jones, eutler, Robert Hillyard, smith. By speeial graee,
and "for the fine of one butt of sacke, delivered to Mr.
Maior, free of all ehardges": Daniel Wybrantes, junior,
merehant, son of Daniel Wybrantes, alderman. By
speeial graee, and on fines: Thomas Creamer, merehant,
John Powell, goldsmith, Matthew Browne, cloekmaker,
Henry Grimshaw, John Hartis, William Lyle, John
Lovett, saddlers, John Wentrich, Thomas Rathborne,
glovers, Robert Eaton, tailor, John Warren, tallow-
ehandler, Thomas Cleefe, shoemaker, John Huekerby,
slater, John Bellis, William Wyborne, Simon Gray,

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Michael Wilson, Edward Jones, Robert Stafford, butchers, 1651.
William Haddocke, Daniel Purcell, shermen, William Phillipps, John Smith, Thomas Bartlett, smiths, John Richardson, trunk-maker, Rice Williams, Maurice Bishopp, farriers, Nathaniel Roberts, mason. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: Samuel Doughtie, merchant, David Byrne, tailor, Edward Beetagh, Patrick Donnogh, William Foorde, James Beaghan, junior, bakers. As sons of freemen: Simon Toole, brazier, Nicholas Weston, joiner.

m. 27.

“Memorandum: That the day and yeare aforsaid all the above written persons personally appeareing before the forsaid Maior and Sheriffes of the forsaid cittie of Dublin, everie one of them by himselfe severally hath acknowledged to owe unto Peter Wybrants, alderman, treasurer of the said cittie, and to his successors, treasurers of the forsaid cittie, the somme of twenty pounds, sterling, to bee levyed of his goodes and chattles, to the use of the said cittie, if hee shall fayle in the condicion following:—The condicion of the above recogni-
zance is such that if you shall provide yourselfe with sufficient weapons,¹ and the same shall keepe, dureinge
your residence or dwelling in this cittie, the liberties or franchises thereof, to be in a readines for the service of the Commonwealth and this cittie, soe often as occasion shall require, that then, etc.; otherwise, etc.”

Recogni-
zances.

Conditions.

Weapons.

m. 26.

1651, October 23.

Orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, desiring them to lay downe some present course in the same, whereby a generall cesse may bec made and levyed to furnish the severall courtes of garde of this cittie with fire and candlelight for the present winter: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this

General
cess.
Courts of
guard.

¹ See vol. iii., p. xiii.

1651.
Applot-
ment.

said assemblie, that the somme of two hundred pounds, Roll xiii. m. 26. sterling, bee applotted and levyed on the severall inhabitants of this eittie, suburbes and liberties thereof within the lyne for the uses above written, the said monneyes to bee paied into the hands of Mr. John Shepheard, and that, as soone as hee disburseth what wilbee requisitt for the use above said, that hee shall keepe the remaynder of the said monney in his hands (if any bee) untill the eommons give order for the further disposal thereof, and to make the said eesse are appointed of the eommons Mr. Riehard Heyden, Mr. John Shepheard, Marke Quine, Symon Younge, Thomas Springham, John Eastwoode, John Totty, John Cranwell, John Ambrose, Richard Barker, Thomas Gustard, and Riehard Page, or any sixe of them, to meete with the Maior, Sheriffes, and as many of the aldermen as the Maior shall thinke fitt, and every man herein nominated are to appeare, on Mr. Maiors timelie sommons, on the penaltie of five shillings, sterling, to bee paied to the poore.

Courts of
guard.

[2.] Whereas alsoe eertaine of the said commons m. 26 b. petieioned unto the said assembly, sheweing that the severall courtes of guardes in and about this eittie of Dublin are much out of repaire, and that it is requisitt the said courtes of guardes bee repaired before the depth of winter approaeth and dureing faire weather; the said eommons therefore prayed that a course might bee layde downe for the speedy reparaicion thereof by levyng of monneyes by eesse or otherwise for the eharge thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the masters of the eittie workes doe forthwith repaire the courtes of guardes, and that Mr. Maior doe give warrantes for such monneyes as is or shalbee disbursed neecessarilie for the same, to bee paied out of the eesse of the eittie.

Repairs.

Sewers.

[3.] Whereas alsoe eertaine the eommons petieioned unto this assemblie, sheweing that many of the sinkes or eommon shoares of this eittie are stopt, to their greate

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m. 26 b.

nusance, and danger of infection to this cittie ; and there- 1651.
fore they prayed this assemblie to sett downe such order
in the same for the opening of the said sinkes and
common shoares, and that workmen might bee sett
about the opening and clensing of them forthwith : Cleansing.
it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that all the common shoares where the cittie
ought to clense, shalbee clensed forthwith at the cittie
chardge, and that all other noisome sinkes shalbee
clensed by those that doe make any use of them, everie
one contributeing theirre proporcion accordinge to theirre Contribu-
abilitie. tious.

[4.] Forasmuch alsoe as certayne of the said commons
did petition unto this assembly, desiring that some
present course might be layde therein whereby the poore Poor.
in and about this cittie might bee, from time to time, Relief.
relieved : it is therefore [ordered] and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that thirtie pounds, sterling, per
month shalbee levyed by way of cesse on the inhabitants Cess.
of this cittie, the liberties and suburbes thereof, and all
other places within the lyne, for the maintenance of the
poore of this cittie, to bee assessed by the Maior and
aldermen, the Sheriffes and twelve of the commons, to
bee nominated by the commons forthwith ; this to con-
tinue untill the next assemblie, commonly called the
quarter assemblie ; and the same cessors appointed for
the coales and candles for the guardes are appointed to Guards.
applot the said cesse for the poore ; and the monney Applot-
collected to bee paid to Mr. John Shepheard, to bee ment.
issued for the uses of the poore weekly, as Mr. Maior
shall appointe.

[5.] Whereas certayne of the forsaid commons preferred
petition unto the said assembly, settinge forth that there
is necessitie for haveing a certaine place wherein coales Coal
and fuell for winter firing for the severall courtes of Fuel.
guard are to bee kept provided by this cittie, and that
the cittie might not bee charged with such chardges and

1651. expenees as have heretofore beene expended by this cittie ^{Roll xiii. m. 26 b.}
 for celleradge of the said fireing; and therefore they
 humbly offred to the consideracion of this assembly, the
 conveniencie of the cellar under the Tholsell for that use
 Cellar. Tholsel. and purpose, and desired that the same might bee dis-
 posed of to that use for the future easement of the said
 chardge: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
 authoritie, that the said cellar under the Tholsell shalbee
 cleaned, and the windowes thereof made upp with iron
 barrs, and bee converted to the use aforesaid.

1651-2. 1651-2. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1651. ^{m. 28.}

Laws, orders and constitutions: — [1.] Whereas
 Williams. Lewyes Williams, smith, preferred petition unto this
 assemblie, praying that an order might bee given and
 layde downe in this said assemblie for payment of such
 Work for city. monneyes as are due unto him for such worke as hee
 hath done for this cittie, appeareing in certaine notes to
 his said petieion annexed: it is therefore ordered and
 agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that the
 masters of the cittie workes shall viewe the workes
 that are done by the petitioner, and exanyne the
 rates by him demaunded for the said workes, and
 shall certifie unto Mr. Maior what they ecneeeave fitt
 to bee paied to the petitioner, and on their certificatt
 Mr. Maior is to give warrant to the treasurer for the
 payment thereof.

Brennan. [2.] Whereas Richard Brennan petieioned unto the
 Bagnall. said assemblie, sheweing that Hugh Bagnall, cooke, late
 deceased, did at the time of his death owe unto this
 Fine of franchise. cittie, in remayne of his fine of freedome of the said
 cittie, the somme of tenn shillings, sterling, and by
 reason he dyed very poore, soe as there is noe means left
 to satisfie the said tenn shillings, and that thereuppon
 the securitie bound for the payment thereof should bee
 dischargd of the same: it is therefore ordered and
 agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that, in consideracion

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the said Hugh Bagnall dyed presentlie after hee was 1651-2 made free, and had noe benefitt of his freedome, the forsaid tenn shillings, sterling, remayneing as yet unpaid, shalbee remitted and the forsaid securitie Remission. discharged of the same.

[3.] Grant of lease, for sixty-one years, to Samuel Lease. Weston, merchant: house or tenement in Cooke street, Cooke lately occupied by Mary Browne, alias Segrave, widow; street. annual rent: four pounds, sterling.

m. 29, 29 b.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, “and Admis- for the fine of a paire of gloves, paied [by each] to sions to franchise: Mistris Maiorresse.” Ann Tighe, maiden, Enoch Reader, merchant, Arthur Padmore, goldsmith, Richard Shorte, Gold- tailor. By special grace, and on fines: Gyles Good- smith. winn, goldsmith, John Baker, bricklayer, John Sprickley, William Leese, Robert Orde, tailors, William Ragge, Robert Tompson, millers, John Norris, Patrick Coyle, John Allen, coopers, Thomas Roberts, baker, Robert Ragge, Robert Curtis, Alexander Norton, William Sandes, shoemakers, Laurence Webber, Alexander Bradshawe, butchers, William Leigh, Francis Sughdien, Edward Deane, Robert Gunne, Thomas Clarke, William Birde, tanners, Walter Gough, Michael Cowdell, blacksmiths, George Fisher, plate-worker. Admitted, on having served apprenticeship: James Nolan, girdler.

m. 23.

1651-2.—January 23.—Whereas certayne of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweing that the right honorable the commissioners of the Parliament Parliament of England, for the inlarginge of the priviledges and of England. jurisdiction of this cittie have graunted a commission of Commis- the peace and gaole deliverie for the preeincts of the sion. said cittie, and all other partes within the lyne¹, therein city appointeing the Maior for the time beinge, the judges Mayor. Judges.

¹ See “Contemporary History of af- p. 283. Dublin: 1880.
fairs in Ireland, 1641-52,” vol. iii,

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Recorder.
Aldermen.

Liberties.

Extension
of juris-
diction.

Commis-
sioners.
Adminis-
tration of
justice.

Govern-
ment of
city.

Election of
justices.

the recorder and severall of the aldermen to bee commissioners to exercise the jurisdiction in the said commission containned; and forasmuch as it is necessarie that the said commission might bee accepted and approved of by this assemblee, they therefore prayed the said assemblee, by the authoritie thereof, to direct the said Maior, recorder and such of the aldermen of the said cittie as are therein nominated, to take upon them the burthen and execution of the said commission, to the end that justice might not be delayed: it is therefore ordered, enacted and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that (in regard by the commission in the petition mentioned the severall liberties within the lyne which were not formerly under the government of the cittie are now made subject thereunto, and for that that several of the aldermen of the said cittie are nominated and appointed commissioners therein, whereby the government may bee the more activelie attended and publique justice administered), the Maior, recorder and aldermen shall take upon them the execution thereof untill the further order of the assemblee of this cittie. And if the said commission shall by experience bee found advantagious for the good government of the said cittie and liberties thereof, and other partes adjacent within the lyne, then this assemblee doth desire that the said jurisdiction may (on suit to bee made to the said commissioners of the Parliament of England) be graunted to this corporacion and their successors in perpetuities, and that the Maior, Sherifes, commons and cittizens of this cittie may have the election of the justices or commissioners from amongst the aldermen of the said cittie in perpetuities: Provided that the said commission, nor anye thinge therein containned, bee not understoode to extend to the prejudice of the former authoritie already in this cittie, nor shall restraine or limitt the execution thereof, but that the same bee putt in execution as formerly it hath bene.

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m. 28.

m. 28 b.

Roll xiii.
m. 30.1652. Second Friday after Easter.¹

1652.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petieioned unto this assemble, sheweinge that whereas the inhabitants of this cittie are now (for the greatest parte) such as have beene robbed and stripte heretofore by the rebells, and such as have beene souldiers, and some that have latelie come over to sett upp theire trades and have but small stockes, and those few that remayne in the cittie of the auncient inhabitants beinge much disabled in theire estates by the decay of tradinge, and by the greate chardge that hath lyen upon this cittie, and by loane monneyes for the supplie of the armie in the time of eollonell Jones² his government and since; and whereas the lands of this cittie are ingadged for monneys that have beene disbursed for the maintenance of the cittie in the late greate visitacion and since, and that the cittie is yett indebted for the rebuldeinge of Newgate, and other necessarie workes; and yett the keyes, the cittie walls and the earth workes, etc., are decayed and want present repairing; they therefore humbly prayed this assemble to take the premises into consideraicon, and to lay downe such course therein for the publike good of this cittie, as well in useinge meanes to procure payment of the monneyes lent by the cittie to eollonell Jones aforsaid, as alsoe that such customes and other just rightes and profitts heretofore belonginge to the cittie by theire charters, may bee levyed and enjoyed as to the assemble should seeme meete and fitt; and, upon debate and consideracion of the said petieion, it is ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemble, that the Maior, the aldermen, the Sheriffes, and twelve of the commons such as they shall appointe and nominatt, or any tenn or more of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to be alwayes two, are appointed to bee

Inhabi-
tants of
city.

Trades.

Decay of
trade.Colonel
Jones.

Lands.

Plague.

Debts.
Newgate.Quays.
Walls.Payment of
loans.

Customs.

Profits.

Charters.

¹ Easter-day, 18 April, 1652.² Michael Jones. See vol. iii., p. xxxvii.

1652. a committee to electe a fitt man or men to bee imployed Roll xiii.
m. 30.
 Commissioners of Parliament. to the right honorable the commissioners of Parliament
 here, or to his excellencie the lord lieutenant, or to
 Petition. such others as the said committee shall directe to pro-
 secute the contentes of the said peticion, and that they
 shall have full power to contracte with him or them, and
 Allowance. give him or them such allowance for theire paines,
 trouble and expences as shalbee fitt to bee borne and
 Instructions. paid by the cittie, and to drawe upp such instructions
 for enablinge such person or persons (as shalbee soe
 employed) as they shall thinke fitt and convenient
 for speedinge the request in the peticion aforesaid
 contained.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
 petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweinge that in
 Summer season. this sommer season provision of coales might bee made
 Coals. at cheaper rates than in winter the same are like to
 cost, and that the two hundred pounds last graunted
 Cess. and levyed by way of cesse for fire and candle light is
 all layde out, and there is some monney more yett
 oweinge for coales, parte whereof is spent and parte
 remayne in store; the said commons therefore humbly
 desired this assemblie to lay downe some course in the
 premises as to them should bee thought fitt: it is there-
 fore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the
 contents of the said peticion bee referred to the com-
 mittee for the cittie affaires who are to doe therein as
 shalbee most convenient for the speedinge of the neces-
 sitie of the worke.

[3.] Whereas likewise Mr. Walter Kennedy preferred
 petition unto the assemblée aforesaid, desiringe all such
 arreares of rent as are due on him to this cittie upon
 one house in Saint Thomas streete, demised unto him
 by this cittie, might (for severall reasons and motives
 sett forth in the said peticion) bee remitted him, as well
 for the time past as for some yeares to come dureing
 his demise: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the

Roll xiii.
m. 30. said authoritie, that the petitioner shalbee abated the 1652.
one moytie of his arreares to this time, hce paying the
other moytie forthwith to the threasurer of this cittie
for the use of this cittie, and to continue his former
rent dūreing the residue of his tearme.

[4.] Whereas Leonard Hatfeild, sonne unto Mr. Ridg- Hatfeild.
ley Hatfeild, now Sheriffe, petitioned unto the said
assembly, shewingc that in Michaelmas assembly last
there was graunted unto his said father a lease for
tearme of fortie and one yeares uppon that parte of
Sutter lane now in his possession, contayneing in length Sutter lane.
twentie sixe foote, and in breadth eighteene foote, at
the yearelie rent of eight shillings, sterling, which lease
is not as yett sealed; the petitioner humbly prayed
this said assemblee to graunt unto him, for the use of
his said father, a lease of the premises for the tearme
of yeares and rent aforsaid: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioners
request shalbee and is hereby graunted for the yeares
and under the rent in the petitioners fathers graunt
contained, to the use of his said father, as is desired.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that Mr. Charles Forster, alderman, shall have Charles
a lease for a tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn Forster
from Michaelmas next, uppon one wast plott of ground Ground.
without and next adjoyneinge to Newgate, whereon Newgate.
there were formerly builded two tenements by his grand-
father, contayncinge in the front thereof, from east to
west, fortie two foote or thereabouts, and backwarde,
from north to south, seaventie two foote or thereabouts,
at the yearelie rent of tenn shillings, sterling, with such
clauses, covenantes, condicions and reservacions as Mr.
Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[6.] Whereas alsoe John Eastwoode, Mathew French Eastwoode.
and John Desmirecre, merchants, preferred petition French.
unto the assemblee aforsaid, sheweinge that there was Desmi-
graunted by this cittie unto them and severall others neere.

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Wood quay.
Rent.

a lease of a wast plott of ground on the Woodkea, for Roll xiii.
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tearme of sixtie and one yeares to, commence at Easter,
1652, at the yearelie rent of fiftene poundes, sterling,
as by an acte of assemblie may appeare; and forasmuch
as the rest joyned in the said graunt with the peticioners
doe not desire to intermedle therein, the said peticioners
humbly prayed that the said lease of the wast plott of
ground aforesaid might bee graunted unto them accord-
inge the forsaid acte of assemblie, they beinge ready to
performe such condicions as are therein mencioned: it is
therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie,
that if the peticioners procure the release of the rest of
the undertakers, the cittie will make the lease to the
peticioners according to the former graunte.

Peter
Wybrants.

[7.] Mr. Peter Wybrants, alderman, is chosen Maior
of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Cranwell.
Vanhoven.

[8.] Mr. John Cranwell and Mr. Garrett Vanhoven
are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the same
yeare.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 31.
fine of a pair of gloves from each to the Mayoress:
Charles Andrews, William Sommers, Isaac Dobson,
merchants, Christopher Langdall, butcher, Henry Fisher,
tailor, John White, glover. By special grace, and on
fines: Edward Briscoe, coppersmith, James Handcocke,
Daniel Jenman, Thomas Wilson, cooks, John Stone,
tanner, John Mullegan, Edward Weyman, tailors, Wil-
liam Brookes, Randell Cade, bakers, John Kitson,
shoemaker, Robert Mayes, John Hodgkinson, Esau
Dolman, Thomas Phillipps, butchers, John Mackadams,
cooper, John Ellyott, bricklayer, John Betson, Roger
Prichard, glovers, William Hutton, saddler, John
Needum, blacks. Admitted, on having served
apprenticeships: Thomas Angier, barber-surgeon,
Nicholas Hunter, Thadee Bryen, bakers, Walter Saer,
butcher, Richard Whyte, Thomas Andrewes, shoemakers,
William Challenor, tailor.

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1652. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

1652.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblee, sheweinge that whereas there is an auncient lawe¹ in this cittie prohibitinge that any petition or bill concerneinge the demiseinge or settinge of any of the cittie lands or houses should bee graunted untill three readings thereof at three severall assemblies were past, whereby the cittie might better advise thereon; and forasmuch as the same hath beene found of late very inconvenient, and proved a greate hindrance in demiseinge the said cittie lands and houses, they, the said commons, therefore prayed this assemblee to enacte and establishe therein that the said three readings might bee brought into two readings, and that uppon the second readinge of any bill or petition of settinge or demiseinge any of the said cittie lands or houses, and a survey thereof returned thereon, the said bill or petition might bee graunted without any further readinge: it is therefore ordered, enacted and established, by the authoritie of this present assemblee, that the three readings formerlie used in the assemblies for settinge of lands and houses bee reduced to two readings, and that uppon a survey on the second readinge the said lands and houses may bee sett (any lawe made in this cittie to the contrarie notwithstandinge), and that all penalties on the said former lawe may bee applied to this lawe. And it is further ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, for preventinge of partialitie, that the said lands and houses bee surveyed on the first readinge, and the survey to bee returned within twentie eight daies after the first readinge, and that on the returne of the said survey, that all freemen of this cittie may bidd for the same the next followinge assemblee.

Ancient
law,
Petitions
for leases
from city.

Readings.

Survey.

Reduction
of readings.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned

¹ See vol. i., p. 253; vol. ii., p. 303.

1652. unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are severall Roll xiii.
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Waste lands and houses. wast lands, houses and tenements belonginge to this
Tenants. cittie, which yeeld the same noe rent or profitt (haveinge
tennants thereof are not to bee found, and others of
Rents. them refuse to pay their rents, alleadgeinge their
holdings to lye wast and noe benefitt made thereof,
Re-entry. soe as the cittie is like to loose the benefitt of their
rents if a speedie course bee not taken for the same ;
and therefore the said commons prayed this assemblie
to lay downe an order therein, whereby the said lands,
houses and tenements might bee reentred uppon and
disposed of by this cittie: it is therefore ordered and
City seal. agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that letters of attornie
shall bee graunted under the cittie seale unto such men
as the committee of the cittie renew shall appointe
for makeinge reentries on the estates of such as are
lyable thereunto for default of payment of their
Arrears. arrears, or to take such other effectuall course as shalbee
most convenient for recoverie of the said arrears.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons peti-
tioned that in midsommer assemblie, 1648, there was
Committee, a committee¹ appointed for regulateinge and settling
1648. severall particulers, as in an acte of that assemblie is
mencioned, divers of which committee are since dead,
whereby the said acte could take noe effecte, and there-
Appoint- fore they prayed this assemblie to nominatt and appointe
ment. another committee for the due execucion of the said
particulers as by the forsaid acte hath beene layde
downe: It is therefore ordered and agreed, by the for-
said authoritie, that Mr. Maior, alderman Hunt, alderman
Smith, alderman Huchinson, alderman Deey, alderman
Waterhouse, alderman Hooke, alderman Mylles and
alderman Drinkewater, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Richard
Heyden, Mr. John Wood, Mr. John Shepheard, Mr.

¹ See vol. iii., p. 459.

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Samuel Weston, Mr. Nathaniel Philpott, Mr. Marcus 1652.
Quine, Mr. John Eastwoode, Mr. George Surdevele,
Hugh Price, John Sisson, William Cox, Laurence Cos-
grave, and Thomas Clearke, or any eight of them,
whereof Mr. Maior and Masters Sheriffes alwaies to bee
two, are appointed a committee to doe and acte what-
soever the former committee had power to doe.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred Number of
poor.
petition unto the assemblie aforsaid, sheweinge that
there is a greate number of poore in and aboute the
cittie, who are in extreame want of reliefe and ought
charitable to bee provided for; they therefore prayed
that a course might bee layde in that assemblie for the
reliefe of the said poore: it is therefore ordered and Relief.
agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that a cesse of thirtie
pounds a month throughout this cittie and suburbs Monthly
cess.
thereof bee assessed by the Maior and Sheriffes, and such
as they shall thinke fitt to call to their assistance, which
is to bee collected for the reliefe of the poore, and the
said cesse to bee made for three monthes now next
ensueinge.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweinge that this
cittie hath beene at greate chardge in repairinge the
cittie clocke and erectinge the severall dyalls thereof, City clock.
Dials.
which monneyes are yett due unto the severall worke-
men imploied to that end, amountinge to thirtie pounds
or thereabouts; the said commons therefore prayed
that a course might bee settled in this assemblie whereby
the said monneys might bee paid unto the Sheriffes of
this cittie, to bee disbursed by them unto the forsaid
severall workemen for the said worke: it is therefore Workmen.
ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the
Sheriffes of this cittie shall disburse out of the monneyes
which they have or shall receave for the cittie use
(except what monneyes they have in their hands of
the toll . . . monneyes necessarie for settinge upp

1652. the said [clocke] . . . shall soe disburse shalbee Roll xiii.
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allowed them uppon [theire accomptes.]

Daniel Huchinson. [6.] Forasmuch as Alderman Daniel Huchinson preferred petition [unto] the said assemblie, sheweinge that
Debt. there is due and [oweing by this] cittie unto him twentie foure pounds, twelve shillings and [one penny], as by the accompte unto the said petition annexed appeareth; and [therefore] hee humblie prayed that this assemblie would bee pleased to order [the] treasurer of this cittie for to pay the said somme unto him: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that Mr. Maior doe give a warrant unto the said treasurer for the payment thereof.

Pemberton. [7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
Discharge. authoritie, that Elinor Pemberton, widdow (for certaine reasons in her petition expressed), shalbee dischargd of all such debtes as are due by her late husband, Mr. Thomas Pemberton, alderman, unto this cittie, and that a release shalbee given her for the samé, shee giveinge the like release unto the cittie.

Roberts. [8.] Whereas alsoe Hugh Roberts, servant unto Mr. Maior, petitioned that whereas in Michaelmas assemblie, 1651, it pleased the said assemblie, by an acte thereof, to graunt unto his said master an order whereby hee should receave from the treasurer of this cittie, on Mr. Maiors warrant, the somme of three hundred, ninetie two pounds, one shilling and foure pence, sterling, expended on the repaireinge and rebuilddeinge of Newgate
Newgate. by him, over and above what hee formerlie receaved touchinge the said worke; and forasmuch as his said master hath not beene satisfied the said somme of three hundred, ninetie two pounds, one shilling and foure pence, sterling, or any parte thereof ever since, in regard the treasurer hath noe monneyes to satisfie the same, the petitioner therefore humblie praied that a course might bee layde downe in this present assemblie, whereby his said master might bee satisfied the said monneyes

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such other waies or meanes as should bee thought fitt; 1652.
it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie,
that the petitioner shalbee allowed intrest for the
monneyes above mencioned to be paied unto him from
midsommer, 1651, after the rate of eight pounds in the
hundred per annum.

[9.] Grant of lease, for twenty-one years, to alderman
George Gilbert: portion of "ground called and com- Gilbert,
monlie known by the name of the old Fishambles, at Fishambles.
the end of Saint Johns church, latelie in the possession of St. John's
Thomas Wilcockson, gardener, deceased;" annual rent: church.
four pounds, sterling.

[10.] Whereas Mathew Barry, for and on the behalfe Barry.
of the children of Alderman John Gibson, deceased, did Gibson.
petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the
plott of ground called the Pill beinge demised by this Pill.
cittie unto Alderman Forster, at the yearelie rent of Forster.
eight pounds, sterling, the intrest of the lease thereof
was afterwards purchased by the said Alderman Gibson;
since which time noe profit hath beene made thereout,
and that there are one hundred, thirtie and sixe pounds,
sterling, arreares of the said rent due to this cittie; and
therefore prayed that the said arreares might bee
remitted, or such parte thereof as should bee thought
fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that, uppon payment of the arreares due before
the rebellion, and of two partes of the said rent which Rebellion.
are growen due since, that a third parte of the said
arreares shalbee abated to the petitioners since the
rebellion: provided that which is not hereby remitted
bee paied to the treasurer of this cittie within two
monthes now next ensueinge; otherwise this graunt of
abatement to bee voide.

[11.] Whereas Patricke Mapas, sole administrator of Mapas.
the goods and chattles of Robert Kennedy, alderman, Kennedy.
deceased, petitioned that all such arreares of rent as are
due unto this cittie out of one roome or loftc over the

1652.
Flesh-
shambles,

Fleshshambles of this cittie, which was demised unto the said Robert Kennedy, might (for certaine reasons and motives in his peticion expressed) bee remitted unto the petitioner, and a surrender of his intrest in the premises accepted of: uppon consideracion had of the said peticion, it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the petitioner shalbee and is hereby remitted all the forsaid arreares of rent: provided that hee surrender and deliver upp his lease of the premises within tenn daies now next ensueinge.

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Corpora-
tion of
butchers.

[12.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the master, wardens and corporacion of butchers of this cittie of Dublin shall have, for the use of the said corporacion, a lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares, to beginn from Michaelmas next, uppon the loft or roome over the Fleshshambles of this cittie in Cornemarkett, contayneing in length, from north to south, fortie seaven foote, or thereabouts, and in breadth, from east to west, twentie seaven foote, or thereabouts, at the yearelie rent of three pounds, sterling.

Flesh-
shambles,
Corn-
market

Daniel
Bellingham,
goldsmith.

[13.] Whereas likewise Daniel Bellingham, goldsmith, petitioned, sheweinge that, at the intreatie and request of the right worshipfull the Maior and Sheriffes of this citty, hee made sixe silver maces for the officers followeing the cittie swordé, and that there is due unto him for the said maces and the workmanship thereof the somme of sixtie sixe pounds, sterling, which is not yett satisfied unto him, and therefore prayed this assemblie to laie downe a course for satisfying him the said sixtie sixe pounds, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the committee appointed for settling the cittie affaires doe viewe all the cittie plate and the old maces, and to deliver unto the petitioner the old maces, and such old plate as they conceave not usefull or necessarie, at such rates as it is worth, in parte payment of the said sixtie sixe pounds, sterling; and for the remaynder thereof the treasurer

Silver
maces,

Workman-
ship.

City plate.

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of this cittie is to pay the same unto the petitioner, 1652.
uppon Mr. Maior's warrant; and likewise the said com-
mittee is alsoe to consider whether the new maces are
worth soe much as the petitioner demaundeth for the
same.

[14.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
authoritie, that Henry Fisher shall have the place of ^{Fisher.}
macebearer in this cittie which Patricke White, deceased, ^{White.}
latelie held, together with the fees and perquisitts
thereunto belonging, dureinge the pleasure of this
cittie.

m. 31 b.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on <sup>Admis-
sions to
franchise.</sup>
fine of a pair of gloves from each to the Mayoress: Mary
Reilly, servant, Henry Bellingham, John Carr, gold-
smiths, John Tadpoole, cook. By special grace, “and <sup>Gold-
smiths.</sup>
for the fine of a peece of plate, to be delivered to the ^{Plate.}
threasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, to goe
with the cittie sworde:” Thomas Jones, merchant. By ^{City sword.}
special grace, and on fines: Henry Bateman, barber-
surgeon, Gilbert Gurnell, William Ratcliffe, Richard
Rankehorne, glovers, Thomas Sharpe, William Symons,
Patrick Hamlyn, bakers.

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1652. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: Daniel Huchinson, esquire. Sheriffs: John <sup>Mayor.
Sheriffs.</sup>
Cranwell and William Clift.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Raphael
Hunt, alderman, is chosen treasurer of the cittie of ^{Treasurer.}
Dublin for the next ensueinge yeare.

[2.] Mr. John Browne and Mr. Ridgley Hatfeild are <sup>Masters of
works.</sup>
chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Bennett, ^{Auditors.}
Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas Wakfeild, Mr. William
Smith, Mr. Sankey Sullyard, Mr. Robert Deey, Mr.
Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Nathaniel Drinkewater, Mas-
ters Sheriffes, Mr. John Woods, Mr. John Desmineere,
Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Samuel Weston, Mr. Owen Jones,

1652. Mr. George Surdevele, Mr. John Eastwoode, or any sixe Roll xiii.
m. 33. of them, whereof Mr. Maior alwayes to bee one, are elected auditors of this cittie for the said yeare.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas the
 Lines. lynes and the portes about this cittie and liberties thereof are very much decayed, and the safetie of the cittie is or may bee much indangered thereby, and that
 Governor. the honorable the governor, haveinge viewed the said lynes and portes, hath desired that the same may bee repaired; the said commons therefore humbly desired that this assemblie might lay downe a speedie course therein, and uppon consideracion had of the said petition: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the lynes and portes in the petition aforesaid mencioned shalbee forthwith repaired by the inhabitants of this cittie and liberties thereof in the manner and forme, videlicet, as is sett downe in the instrument annexed to the forsaid petition and subscribed by Alderman Thomas Waterhouse, Alderman
 Water-house, Tighe. Richard Tighe and the masters of the cittie workes, City workes. who, with the advise and assistance of many of the principall inhabitants, have with equalitie devided the
 Inhabitants. same.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that in Michaelmas assemblie, 1650, it pleased the said assemblie to enacte and establish a constant agent¹ and steward for the
 Agent. renew of this citty, to bee under the threasurer of the
 Treasurer. said cittie, to continue constantlie dureing the cittie pleasure; and forasmuch as it is conceaved that the said acte is not convenient and is very unnecessarie, they therefore prayed this assemblie to disannull therein the
 Disannulment. forsaid acte of agencie and stewardshipp, and that the threasurer of this cittie for the time beinge might

¹ See vol. iii., p. 506.

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employ such as hee pleaseth to undergoe the said 1652.
chardge under him: it is therefore ordered and agreed,
by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said acte of assem-
blie in the forsaid petition mencioned bee abrogated
and dissolved, and that all the payments and other
intrestes and authorities by that acte given to a steward
or agent bee from henceforth voyd; and that the
threasurer of this cittie for the time beinge may acte
as threasurer as former threasurers of this cittie have
done, the said acte or anythinge therein containd to
the contrarie notwithstandinge.

[6.] Whereas alsoe John Exham, gentleman, petitioned ^{John Exham.}
unto the said assemblie, desiringe (for many reasons
and motives sett forth in his said petition) to have a
remittall of certaine arreares of rent due unto this cittie
uppon a ruinous tenement scituatt in Oxmanton, and ^{Oxmanton.}
now in the occupacion and possession of the said John
Exham, by assignement from Mr. Recorder of this cittie, ^{Recorder.}
to whom the lease thereof was graunted and made for
tearme of yeares; and the contentes of the said petition
beinge referred to certaine by the assemblie nominated,
they certified theire opinions thereof, and uppon con-
sideracion had of the said certificatt in this present
assemblie: it is ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
authoritie, that all the arreares due on the premises ^{Arrears.}
accordinge as is mencioned in the said certificatt, shalbee
and are hereby remitted untill Michaelmas last, and that
twentie shillings, sterling, of the rent yearelie due out
of the premises shalbee and is likewise hereby remitted
to the petitioner for twentie yeares to come, accordinge
to the said certificatt.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that John Eastwoode, merchant, Richard ^{Eastwoode.}
Heyden, vintner, Samuel Weston, merchant, Thomas ^{Heyden.}
Springham, merchant, and John Tottie, glover, shall <sup>Springham.
Tottie.</sup>
have a lease for tearme of fortie and one yeares, from
the five and twentieth day of March next, uppon the

1652.
Baldoyle.
Fishing.

lordshipp, mannour, towne and lands of Baldoyle and the grange thereof, and the tiethes and fishinge thereunto belonginge, at the yearelie rent of two hundred and fortie pounds, sterling, to bee paied to the threasurer of this cittie of Dublin, for the use of the said cittie, and a dosen of organ linge, and a eowple of fatt capons unto the Maior of the said cittie for the time beinge yearelie; with such other clauses, covenantes and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

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Ling.
Capons,

Nathaniel
Fowkes.
Ferry.

[8.] That Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, shall have a graunt of the ferry belonginge to this cittie, durance his naturall life, hee payinge for the same eight pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, by the yeare, and that Mr. Recorder insert into the said graunt a covenant for the due payment of the said yearelie rent; and that the said Nathaniel Fowkes shalbee bound to finde a good boate, to carry over the passengers at usuall rates, and with such other covenantes, condicions and reservacions as Mr. Recorder shall finde convenient.

Boat.
Passen-
gers.
Rates.

Skippers
lane.

[9.] Grant of lease for sixty-one years to [Richard Heyden], vintner, "uppon a wast peece of ground, next adjoyninge to a house and garden situatt in Skippers lane, held from this cittie by Mr. Humphry Barry;" annual rent: twenty-seven shillings, sterling.

m. 33 b.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Gold-
smiths.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress; Francis Harris, Thomas Heyden, goldsmiths. By special grace, and on fines: William Harrison, goldsmith, Christopher Thoruton, John Cartan, bakers, Richard Robinson, carpenter, Michael Falkener, Richard Hickie, butchers, Thomas Allwynn, tanners.

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1652-3.

1652-3. Fourth Friday after 25 December 1652.

m. 35.

Law, 1569.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred peticion unto this assemblie, sheweinge that, by a law¹ made in Easter

¹ See vol. ii., p. 56.

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assemblie in the tenth yeare of queene Elizabeth, it was 1652-3.
 agreed for escheweinge of conteneion, that everie alder-
 man should keepe his turne for beareinge the chardge
 of the office of Maioraltie accordinge to his auneieneie, ^{Mayoralty.}
 which lawe when it was made was of greate use, and
 made with greate prudenece for prevention of the incon-
 veniencies which might happen by reason of a prevalent
 partie then in this cittie; but seeing that by the mercie
 of God there is now noe such feare, and for that the
 election of the Maior by and of the aldermen, with the ^{Election of}
 assistance of such as by this grave assemblie should bee ^{Mayor.}
 concluded uppon, wilbee more agreeable to the originall
 constitucion of this corporacion in the pointe of election ^{Constitu-}
 of theire yearelie Maior, the said commons therefore ^{tion of Cor-}
 desired this assemblie to lay downe a course therein, ^{poration.}
 that the Maior of this cittie bee from henceforth yearelie
 elected from amongst such of the aldermen as have not
 formerlie borne the office of Maior in his owne right,
 or, in default of such, out of the number of the alder-
 men at lardge, to bee made accordinge to the auneient ^{Ancient}
 custome of this cittie by the Maior and aldermen of this ^{custom.}
 cittie callinge to theire assistance the Sheriffes and six-
 teene of the common counsell of the said eittie then
 present at the said assemblie, which sixteene are to bee
 appointed by the said Sheriffes: it is therefore ordered,
 enacted and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this
 present assemblie, that the Maior of this cittie shall
 from henceforth bee elected at such times as auncientlie
 have beene accustomed in such manner as in the said peti-
 tion is desired. Provided that there bee three of the
 aldermen that have not served in theire owne right (to
 bee nominated by the Maior and aldermen) putt into
 election; and if there shall not bee soe many of the
 aldermen that have not served to bee putt into election,
 then out of the aldermen at lardge. And it is alsoe
 ordered that the Maicr of this eittie yearely shall have
 an allowance, out of the cittie revenew, for and towards ^{Allowance.}

1652-3 the supporte of his chardge dureinge the time of his Maioraltie, such somme of monney as the Maior and aldermen, Sheriffes and sixteene aforsaid shall thinke fitt, and agree by the major vote at the election, over
 Perquisites. and above the perquisittes formerlie receaved by the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge. And it is alsoe
 Absence. ordered that if the person which shalbee elected Maior shall absent himselfe or refuse to accept of the said office, beinge elected thereunto as aforsaid, that hee or
 Forfeiture. they shall forfeite the somme of five hundred pounds, sterling, to bee levyed off their lands and goodes, to
 Disfranchisement. the use of the said cittie, and shalbee for ever disfranchised and deprived of the liberties and franchises of this cittie, and from everie corporacion and fraternitie therein.

[2.] Whereas likewise certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, desiringe that they would take into consideracion, and (if thereuppon it should bee conceived reasonable and necessarie) they would bee pleased that by an order in the said assemblie all corporacions in this cittie might bee and consist of (at the times of their meetings in their halls or elsewhere in councell for any matter) such as are and shalbee Protestants onelie, and that noe freeman shall take to bee prentise any but such as are or wilbee and continue in the Protestant religion: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authority, uppon consideracion had of the particulers in the said petition
 Corporations of city. Exclusion. contayned, that none shalbee admitted unto the assemblies of any of the corporacions of this cittie unlesse hee bee a Protestant, and that noe freeman take any to bee an apprentice but such as are or wilbee and continue in the Protestant religion.

[3.] Whereas Mr. Richard Tighe, alderman, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there is due unto him by this cittie the somme of three hundred, ninetie two pounds, one shillinge and foure pence,

Richard Tighe. Debt.

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sterling, over and above the somme of two hundred 1652-3.
pounds, sterling, due to him for his yeare of Maioraltie,¹
and that there was graunted unto him by acte of
assemblie eight pounds per centum, intrest for the same
from Midsommer, 1651, untill the same were fullie
paied, and that hee hath not receaved any parte of his
said principall or intrest hitherto, to his greate losse
and dammage; and therefore hee prayed this assemblie
to lay downe an order therein for secureinge the said
principall and intrest unto him to bee satisfied and
paied unto him out of such lands as belonge to this
cittie, whereby hee may yearly knowe where to bee
paied untill the said monneyes bee fullie satisfied; uppon
consideracion of which petition, it is ordered and agreed,
by the said authoritie, that the petitioner shall have the
payment of such monneyes as are due to him from this
cittie secured out of the rentes of Baldoyle, together
with intrest after the rate of eight pounds per centum,
exceptinge the two hundred pounds that were given him
for his expences and chardges in the yeare of his
Maioraltie, and for that same hee is to have noe intrest
for the space of three yeares from the time it was
graunted; and the deede is to containe a clause that
when the monney due to the petitioner shalbee paied,
with the intrest aforesaid, that then the said deede bee
voyde. And it is alsoe ordered and agreed that if the
cittie shall pay unto the petitioner one hundred and
fiftie pounds, sterling, a yeare, or any other somme or
sommes of monney, that the same shalbee abated out
of the debt aforesaid; and the intrest thereof, for soe
much as shalbee paied, is to cease from the time of the
payment thereof.

Rentes of
Baldoyle

Deed.

[4.] Whereas alsoe Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, did
preferre his petition unto the assemblie, sheweinge that
whereas in Michaelmas assemblie last there was graunted

Nathaniel
Fowkes.

¹ 1651-2. See p. 9.

1652-3. Ferry.	unto him the ferry belonginge to this cittie, dureinge his naturall life, at the yearelie rent of eight pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, and that hee could not have	Roll xiii. m. 35.
Boat.	a boate builded for the said ferry untill of late, as by certaine reasons in his said petition expressed hee hath declared; and therefore hee prayed this present assemblie that the said graunt might beginn at Easter next, and that the first halfe yeares rent of the said ferry might be paied at Michaelmas next: it is therefore	
Order. Lease.	ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioners lease of the said ferrie shall beginn from the sixth day of January 1652[-3], and that the first quarters rent bee-paied on the 25th day of March next.	
Richard Burder.	[5.] Whereas Richard Burder, plumber, petitioned unto the last Midsommer [assemblie], sheweinge that this cittie is oftentimes destitute and in great distress	
Water Pipes. Leads.	[from want of water], which is commonlie occasioned through the defectes of the pipes and leades which conveigh the water, and alsoe by the breach of the	
Dolphins Barn.	bankes at the head of the watercourse neere Dolphins Barne, and therefore hee humblye praied this assemblie	
Rent. Branches.	to graunt to him the yearelie rent due to this cittie out of the several branches or liveries of water in and about	
Profits.	this cittie of Dublin and the suburbs thereof, together with such other profittes groweing thereout, dureinge	
Supply.	his naturall life, and that hee would undertake (by God's assistance) to supplie this cittie with water con-	
Repairs.	stantlie, and would maintaine and repaire the said pipes	
Banks.	and leades, as alsoe the said bankes, at his owne chardge dureinge the said time. And the contentes of the said	
Petition. Committee. City revenue.	petition beinge referred to the committee for the 'cittie renew, to make an agreement with the petitioner concerneinge his said request, and to certifie what they	
Certificate.	thought fitt to bee done therein: in pursuance of which reference the said committee did accordinglie certifie that they, haveinge considered of the contentes of the said petition, did conceive the petitioners request to be	

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m. 35 b.

reasonable, provided that two shillings and six pence 1652-3.
only bee onelie taken yearelie for each branch, and noe Yearly
more, and for every new branch tenn shillings, sterling, payments.
fine, and two shillings and sixpence, sterling, yearclie,
and that the three conduites, videlicet, Cornemarkett Conduits.
pipe, Pillorie pipe and Saint Michaels cesterne bee Corn-
alwaies kept in repaire and full with water, except by market.
extraordinary accident for a short time, the water Pillory.
breaeking away, hee bee disabled; and alsoe provided St. Michael.
that if for the good of the cittie it shalbee thought fitt
to use any wast water, or spare water that the pipes Spare
shall not receave, that the same may be drawn such water.
way or wayes as shalbee thought fitt by the masters of Masters of
the cittie workes for the time beinge. And in regard works.
that the three pipes or cisterns aforesaid, or some of them,
are in want of repair, and in consideracion that the
petitioner is to bee bound to keepe and leave them and
the pipes aforesaid in good repaire, the said committee
thought fitt that the petitioner should have such rents Rents.
as are still in arreare and unpaied of the last yeares Arrears,
rent due to this cittie for the water and branches
thereof. And whereas alsoe the petitioner did by his
petition to this assemblie desire that this assemblie Petition.
would bee pleased to take the contentes of the said
certificatt into consideracion, and thereuppon to ratifie Certificate.
and confirme the same accordinge the purporte thereof,
and to graunt him his request aforesaid: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that, Order.
uppon consideracion had of the forsaid petition and
certificatt, the petitioners proposicions are graunted. Grant.
Provided the forsaid agreement be drawn upp by Mr.
Recorder, with such other necessarie covenantes and Recorder.
clauses as the said recorder shall thinke fitt, and that
the petitioner give securitie for performance of what Security.
on his parte shall and is to bee performed.

[6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that James Ferrall, gentleman, shall have a James
Ferrall.

1652-3. lease for tearme of twentie and one yeares, to beginn Roll xiii.
m. 3 b.
from the five and twentieth day of March next, 1653,
Crane upon the roome called the Cranne porch, belonginge
porch. to this cittie, contayneinge, in the front thereof, from
east to west, seaven foote or thereaboutes, and back-
warde, from north to south, twentie foote or thereaboutes,
at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, with
such other covenantes, clauses and condicions to be in-
certed in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Barlowe. [7.] That William Barlowe, marshall, shall have the
City clock. place of keeper of this cittie clocke dureinge the pleasure
of this cittie, together with such yearelie stipend as
John Ogden, late keeper of the said clocke, deceased,
had. Provided that the said William Barlowe keepe
the said clocke in good order.

Admis- Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 34, 34 b.
sions to fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Edward Burges,
franchise. John Thornton, goldsmiths, Thomas Kirkham, barber-
Gold- By special grace, and on fines: John Heynes,
smiths. Thomas Freeman, merchants, Edward Harris, goldsmith,
William Moynes, Anthony Poulter, John Wade, barber-
surgeons, Evan Jenkins, shoemaker, Richard Smith,
tailor, William Lowe, William Webb, smiths, Thomas
Goodland, gunsmith. As sons of freemen: Michael
Merry, baker, Patrick Tallant, Thomas Ball.

1653. 1653. Second Friday after Easter.¹ m. 37.

Account. Laws, orders and constitucions:—[1] Whereas cer-
taine of the commons preferred petition unto the said
assemblie, desiring that an exacte accompt might be
speedilie taken of such profittes as have beene made
and receaved of the threepenny custome,² in Mr. Alder-
man Tighes Maioraltie³ and since, and how the same

¹ Easter-day, 10 April, 1653. Daniel Huchinson is named as Mayor in the headings to membranes 37, 38 and 39, but each of them at foot is signed:

“Richard Tighe, Maior of Dublin, for the time being.”

² See vol. iii., p. xviii.

³ See p. 16.

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have beene disposed of, that alsoe a course might bee 1653.
layde downe for the recoverie of fortie eight pounds,
sterling, due on the parsonadge of Rathmacknee, in the Rathmac-
countie of Wexford, and now restinge in the hands Wexford.
of the commissioners of the revenew there, and for the
payment of the rent thereof in the future; and like- Rent.
wise that an exacte accompte might bee taken touchinge
nine hundred pounds, sterling, or thereabouts, given
unto this cittie by the state, and how the same have
beene disposed of: it is therefore ordered and agreed,
by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the com- Committee
mittee for the cittie revenew shall call the receavers for city
of the threepenny custome before them, and take their revenue.
accountes on oath, and that the commissioners of the
parliament bee petitioned for gettinge of the rentes of
Rathmacknee, as is desired, and for receaveinge the
rent thereof for the time to come, and that the said
committees doe likewise examyne the accompte for the Examination.
nine hundred pounds given by the state to the cittie,
and call all such before them, and take their accountes
uppon oath that have receaved the same or any parte
thereof.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned to the forsaid assemblie, desiringe that the
committee nominated and appointed for the cittie Committee
affaires might bee (by an acte of this present assem- for city
blie) required to meete together one day in everie affairs.
weeke constantlie and at a certaine houre, and to con- Meetings.
tinue seriouslie all that day together touchinge the said
affaires, uppon such a penaltie as should bee thought
fitt; and that a new committee might bee chosen and
appointed to meete with the treasurer or vice treasurer Treasurer.
of this cittie to viewe the supers of the cittie rentes, Vice
and to give an accompte of the state thereof from Treasurer.
time to time as shalbee required: it is therefore ordered City rents.
and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie (uppon
consideracion had of the said petition) that the com-

1653. mittee appointed for the cittie affaires bee required to Roll xiii.
m. 37.
 Tholsel. meete everie Fridaie weeklie in the Tholsell of the cittie,
 Hours. at eight of the clocke in the morninge, and to continue
 there untill foure of the clocke in the afternone, to
 attend matters and affaires of the cittie, and that hee that
 shall absent himselfe to attend the said committee shal-
 Fines. bee fyned by them that shall meete in the somme of
 five shillings, sterling, for each default, to bee levied of
 his goodes by warrant from Mr. Maior, restoringe
 the overplus; and that three of the aldermen and sixe
 of the commons to bee nominated by this assemblee,
 that they or any foure or more of them, whereof one
 to bee an alderman and three to be commons, shall
 View. viewe the supers of the cittie rentes, and to give an
 Account. accompte of the state thereof at everie assemblee.
 Charles Forster, [3.] Whereas likewise Mr. Charles Forster, alderman,
 alderman. did preferre petition unto the said assemblee, sheweinge
 Leases. that, uppon sealeinge of two severall leases by this
 Jones. cittie unto collonell Michael Jones, then governor of the
 said cittie, the one of them beinge for the land of
 Dunna- Clontuirke, and the other for the land of Dunnakerny,
 kerny. the petitioner, beinge then threasurer of this cittie, was
 required by the then Maior, aldermen and Sheriffes of
 Seals. this cittie to forgive the fees of the seales of both the
 said leases, amountinge to three pounds, sterling, and
 not to receive the same of the said collonell Jones, yett,
 notwithstandinge, the petitioner was chardged uppon
 his accompte as threasurer with the said three pounds,
 sterling, and was not allowed for it. Hee therefore
 humbly prayed that a course might bee layde downe
 whereby hee might bee satisfied the said three pounds,
 sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
 Auditor. shalbee referred to the auditors of this cittie, to bee
 examined by them, and, findeinge the same to bee true,
 to give allowance thereof unto the petitioner.

[4.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the forsaid

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authoritie, that Samuel Weston, Richard Heyden, John Eastwoode, Thomas Springham and John Tottic shall (for many reasons sett forth and mencioned in their petition to this assemblie) have an abatement of the somme of fortie pounds, sterling, yearelie, out of the somme of two hundred and fortie pounds, sterling, yearelie, rent, which they are to pay unto this cittie out of the lordshipp, towne and lands of Baldoyle, and the grange thereof, lately demised unto them, duringe their tearme and intrest therein, uppon condicion that the petitioners doe subscribe and agree to accept thereof duringe the sittinge of this assemblie, and take out their lease by the post assemblie.

1653.
Weston,
Heyden,
Eastwoode,
Springham,
Tottic.
Abatement.

Baldoyle.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, uppon consideracion had of the petition of Thomas Heyden, preferred by him unto this assemblie, that the said Thomas Heyden shalbee and is hereby appointed agent and sollicitor for all the causes of this cittie in all courts whatsoever, and that hee shall receive authoritie from the threasurer of this cittie for the time beinge to distraine for the arreares of this cittie rentes, and that hee shall have such allowance for his paines (whilst hee is in the same imployment) as John Kelly, late deceased, had, soe that they bee such arreares as were due before the said John Kelly had the said imployment, and this graunt is to continue dureinge the pleasure of this cittie. Provided that this acte shall not bee expounded to dischargd the threasurer of his accomptes.

Thomas
Heyden.

Agent for
city causes.

Arrears.

Allowance.

Kelly.

Treasurer.

m. 37 b.

[6.] Whereas Elinor Pemberton, widdow, late wife unto Mr. Thomas Pemberton, alderman, deceased, petitioned unto the forsaid assemblie, desiring (for many reasons sett forth and expressed in her said petition) to have remitted unto her all such arreares of rent as are due on her for a plott of ground neere Hoggen Greene, and to abate her some parte of the rent thereof, and likewise to have remitted unto her two yeares

Pemberton.

Hoggen
Green.

1653.
Flintes
Crofte.
Sheep
street.

arreares of rent ending at Easter last, due alsoe on her Roll xiii.
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for a parke or plott of ground called Flintes Crofte,
and a house wherein shee now dwelleth in Sheep-
streete: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
forsaid authoritie (that in regard the peticioners forsaid
husband dyed in the yeare of his Maioraltie, and of
the peticioners povertie), that the peticioner shalbee
dischardged of all such arreares of rent as are due on
the forsaid plott of ground neere Hoggen Greene, and
two yeares arreares of rent due out of the forsaid house
and Flintes Crofte, as in the petieion is desired.

William
Bell.

Nicholas'
street.

[7.] Grant of lease for sixty-one years to William
Bell, "barbor-chirurgion," upon "a wast peece of ground
in Saint Nicholas streete, latelie in the holdeinge of
Walter Conran, merchant, deceased;" annual rent: four
pounds, sterling.

Williams.

Long stone.

Lazie hill.

College
parks.

[8.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that Lewyes Williams, smith, shall have a
lease for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn
from the five and twentieth day of March last past,
1653, uppon a small parcell of ground whereon there
is a poole of water neere the Longe Stone and high-
way leadeinge to Lazie Hill, beinge at the end of the
bricke house wherein William Reason, bricklaier, now
liveth, and is scituatt betweene the highway and the
ditch on the other side thereof towards the colledge
parkes; which small parcell of ground contayneth in
length sixtie yards, and in breadth, at the west end
thereof, fifteene yards, and in breadth, at the east end
thereof, seaven yards; at the yearelie rent of twentie
shillings, sterling.

Vote.

[9.] By the vote of the Maior, aldermen, the Sheriffes
and these sixteene undernamed persons of the commons,
videlicet, Mr. Richard Cooke, Mr. Nathaniel Philpott,
Mr. Symon Younge, Mr. George Surdevele, Mr. Nathaniel
Fowkes, Mr. Hugh Price, Mr. William Bell, Mr. Gerrald
Veldon, Mr. John Wyborne, Mr. Thomas Freeman, Mr.

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Laurence Cosgrave, Mr. Raph Kenyon, Mr. Thomas 1653.
Clarke, Mr. William Thurgood, Mr. John Tottie and
Mr. Richard Bankes, beinge thereunto elected by the
said Sheriffes, Mr. John Preston, alderman, is elected ^{Election of}
to be Maior of this cittie for the next ensueing yeare, ^{John}
^{Preston,}
^{Mayor.}
beginninge at Michaelmas, 1653. And it is agreed, by
the forsaid authoritie, that the said Mr. John Preston
shall have for and towards the defrayinge the chardge ^{Grant.}
of the said office, one hundred pounds, sterling, over
and above the auncient perquisittes, to be paied by the ^{Ancient}
threasurer of the cittie quarterlie on Mr. Maiors warrant. ^{perquisittes.}

[10.] Mr. Thomas Clarke and Mr. Joseph Watson are
elected Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare.

m. 36.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on ^{Admis-}
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Andrew Mayn- ^{sions to}
waring, William Allen, merchants. By special grace, ^{franchise.}
and on fines; Edward Swann, goldsmith, John Harris, ^{Goldsmith.}
Henry Sisson, Patrick Dowde, Humphrey Greene,
butchers, Hugh Smith, cook, John Freeman, Robert
Willens, bakers, Samuel Cotten, cutler, Anthony Wade,
smith, William Hill, upholsterer. As son of freeman:
Simon Carricke.

1653, June 14.

m. 33.

Act and order:—Whereas certayne of the commons
petitioned unto this assembly, sheweinge that the now
Maior of this cittie beinge called into England for the ^{Mayor.}
important affaires of the Commonwealth in relacion to ^{England.}
Ireland, it is convenient that some able person by him
bee nominated to act as his deputie untill Michaelmas ^{Common-}
next, if hee bee soe longe absent, who ought to have ^{wealth.}
competent allowance for support of the said imploy- ^{Deputy}
ment; it was therefore desired that the said assemblie ^{Mayor.}
would sett downe and appointe a competent allowance ^{Allowance.}
for the said deputie out of the citty renew, and the
rather for that the now Maior hath not receaved any
allowance for the supporte of the chardge of the ^{City}
^{revenue.}

1653 Maioraltie for his yeare: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie (for the reasons in the petition mencioned), that the partie to bee elected deputie Maior, to supplie the place in Mr. Maiors absence, shall receave the somme of one hundred pounds, sterling, to bee paid out of the fines and casualties belonging to this cittie, and what that shall come shorte of the same is to bee made upp out of the rent of Baldoyle, to bee paid on the warrant of the said deputie Maior by the threasurer of this cittie. Roll xiii.
m. 35.

Grant.

Baldoyle.

1653. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine [of the commons] preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that wheras by custome of this cittie all the children and servantes of such as purchased the freedome of this cittie by fine were to pay a fine of twentie shillings, sterling, for their freedome, notwithstandinge theire birth or services; and forasmuch as most of the now inhabitantes of this cittie are such which have borne greate cesses and contributed much towards the supporte of this cittie, the said commons therefore humbly prayed that an order might bee layde downe in this assemblie whereby the children and servantes of such as have or shall come in by fine might bee admitted free hereafter, upon such fine as formerlie hath beene paid by the auncient natives of this cittie, and noe more: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that (for the reasons in the said petition mencioned) the children and servantes of such as have come in to bee free of this cittie by fine may be admitted free hereafter uppon such fine as hath beene formerlie paid by the auncient natives of this cittie, and noe more.

Custom.

Purchase of freedom.

Fines.

Inhabitants, Cesses, Contributions.

Children, Servants.

Ancient natives, Order.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas by order of the honorable the commissioners for the

Commissioners,

Roll xiii.
m. 38.

administracion of justice, dated the 29th day of June, 1653, it was ordered that the Maior of the cittie of Dublin should call an assemblie and take a course for payment of the somme of one hundred and foure pounds and nineteene shillings, sterling, adjudged unto alderman Thomas Wakefield by the said courte against the Maior, Sheriffes, commons and cittizens in a case depending before theire honnors, wherein the said Thomas Wakefield was plaintiffe and the said Maior, Sheriffes, commons and cittizens were defendantes; the said commons therefore humbly prayed that an order might bee layde downe in this assemblie for the present payment of the said somme: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the treasurer of the cittie doe forthwith pay the said one hundred and foure pounds and nineteene shillings, sterling, out of the first monneyes that shall come into his hands, and that hee issue noe monneyes to any other untill the said Thomas Wakefield bee paid.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that, according to the custome of the cittie, the franchises of the city ought to bee ridden everie third yeare, which falls out the third of September next; they therefore desired that a course might bee layde downe in this assemblie to defray the chardge thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the franchises of this cittie shalbee ridden this yeare, and in regard the cittie is poore that there bee noe expences in riding thereof out of the cittie treasure; therefore it is not expected that Mr. Maior bee at any chardge.¹

m. 38 b.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, desiring that a course might bee layde downe in the same for certaine engins to bee used for and upon occasion of fire, and that in case any of

¹ The riding of the franchises was on 3 September, 1653. See vol. i., p. 261.

1653. the corporacions should disburse monneyes for the said R. 31 xiii.
m. 38 b.
- Payment. engins, that order might bee given for payment for the same out of the treasurie of this eittie: it is therefore
- Corpora- ordered, by the authoritie aforsaid, that if any eorporacion
tions. whatsoever will disburse soe much as the said engins shall cost, not exceedinge eightie pounds, sterling, the said monneyes shalbee repaied by the threasurer, uppon Mr. Maiors warrant.
- [5.] Whereas Susann Edwards, executrix to Thomas Edwards, her late husband, deceased, petieioned the last Christmas assemblie, desiringe (for certaine reasons in her petieion sett forth) to have an abatement of such
- Arrears. arreares of rent as are due unto this eittie by her and
Rent. her said late husband, Thomas Edwards, out of a house in Castlestreete; and the contentes of the said petieion
- Auditors. beinge referred to the eittie auditors to examyne the same, and to certifie what abatement they thought fitt to bee given to the petieioner, in pursuance of which referencee the said auditors did aeecordinglie certifie that they, haveinge considered of the said allegations in the said petition specified, and for the reasons therein sett forth (although the petieioner and her predecessors have for many yeares together before
- Rebellion. the rebellyon receaved considerable benefitt by the houseinge meneioned in the said petieion) were humbly of opinion that the petieioner might have one halfe of the seaven yeares rent due at Easter last past abated; provided that the residue, beinge twentie one pounds, sterling, should bee paied forthwith to the threasurer of this eittie; and whereas the said petieioner did by her petieion unto this present assemblie pray them to
- Certificate. confirme the said eertifeatt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petieioner
- Abatement. shall have such abatement of the forsaid arreares as the forsaid referrees have layde downe; provided that the twentie one pounds, sterling, above meneioned bee forthwith paied, as above expressed.

Roll xiii.
m. 36, 36 b.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: William Knight, merchant; David Flower, “one of the cittie musitions”; William Harvie, butcher. By special grace, and on fines: Randell Lister, merchant, William Hill, barber-surgeon, Elias Best, vintner, Rowland Jones, tailor, Gervase Whaley, William Mylles, butchers, Richard Warde, cooper, Edward Potter, shoemaker, Christopher Roirke, baker. As son of freeman: John Woodcock, junior.

1653.
Admis-
sions to
franchise
City
musicians

m. 39.

1653. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: John Preston, esquire. Sheriffs: Thomas Clearke and Tobias Cramer.

Mayor
Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Richard Tighe, alderman, is chosen threasurer of the said cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Treasurer

[2.] Mr. John Cranwell and Mr. William Clifte are chosen masters of the cittie works for the same yeare.

Masters of
works.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Bennett, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas Wakefield, Mr. William Smith, Mr. Sankey Sullyard, Mr. Robert Deey, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Nathaniel Drinkwater, Masters Sheriffs, Mr. John Cranwell, Mr. William Clifte, Mr. Richard Cooke, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. John Desmineere, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Samuel Weston, Mr. Owen Jones and Mr. Hugh Price, or any sixe or more of them, whereof Mr. Maior alwayes to bee one, are elected auditors for the said cittie for the said yeare.

Auditors.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that the streetes of this cittie are much out of repaire, and the pavements thereof much broaken; they therefore prayed this assemblie that, accordinge to the custome of other well governed citties, a speedie course might bee layde downe therein for the present repaire thereof: it is therefore

Streets.

Pavements

Repair.

1653. ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said Roll xiii.
m. 39.
Order. assembly, that the Maior of this cittie for the time
beinge shall cause the cittie pavementes to bee con-
stantlie kept in good repaire, at the chardge of each
Inhabi- inhabitant before his house, as is accustomed; and if
tants. any inhabitant shall fayle to keepe his pavement in
good repaire, that Mr. Maior cause the same to bee
Compul- sufficientlie paved, and compell the inhabitants of such
sion. houses to pay for their respective pavementes; which if
they shall fayle to doe, Mr. Maior is hereby authorised
to levie the same of the goodes of such as shall soe
refuse by sale of their goodes, and cause the surplusage
Paving. to bee restored to the owner; and the pavier that doth
Rates. the worke is to have two pence for everie yard hee doth
for his labour.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assemblie, desireinge that a course might
bee layde downe therein for a present cesse to bee made
New clock. for a new clocke for this cittie: it is likewise ordered
and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that thirtie
pounds, sterling, bee added to the one hundred and
Cess. fiftie pounds for the cesse for fire and candlelight for
makeing of a new clocke as is desired.

Sir William [6.] Whereas sir William Parsons, baronet, petitioned
Parsons. unto the same assemblie, prayinge (for certaine reasons
sett forth in his said petition) that certaine arreares of
rent due unto this cittie out of the towne and lands of
Rent. Calganstowne, in the countie of Dublin, which hee
Calgaus- holdeth from this cittie, might bee remitted him; it is
towne. therefore (in consideracion of the petitioners request)
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that one
moytie of the forsaid arreares untill Michaelmas last
Abatement. bee abated unto the petitioner, and the other moytie
of the losse shalbee borne by the cittie; provided that
the petitioner accept of this offer, and pay in the moytie
by him payable within one month now next ensueinge.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 40.

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m. 40.

fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Thomas Preston, ^{1653.}
Randolph Maninge, merchants, Thomas Guy, cook. By <sup>Admis-
sions to
franchise.</sup>
special grace, and on fines: Jeremy Berstowe, Richard
Sinkin, merchants, Thomas Graves, William Crutchley,
Robert Rigbie, Stephen Leigh, weavers, Thomas Ely,
Peter Harrison, John Saywell, Joseph Johnson, John
Pullard, smiths, John Mooney, cooper, George Presicke,
William Stephenson, saddlers, Richard Woodfall, Myles
Marshall, tailors, John Downcinge, glover, Patrick
Tirrell, baker.

1653, November 25.

Act and order:—Forasmuch as certaine of the com-
mons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge
that whereas there is a difference now dependinge
betweene this cittie and Alderman Thomas Hooke, <sup>Thomas
Hooke.</sup>
concerninge the pettie custome belonging to this cittie; <sup>Petty
customs.</sup>
they therefore desired that some course might bee taken
in the said assemblie to compose the said difference: it
is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the ^{Order.}
assemblie aforesaid, that the said Alderman Thomas
Hooke shall have the said pettie custome, payinge unto
the treasurer or generall receaver of the said cittie, for ^{Treasurer.}
the use of the said cittie, yearelie, the two third partes
of the said pettie custome, and one third parte thereof
is to bee allowed unto himselfe for his paines and ^{Allowance.}
chardges in collectinge the same; and his tearme or ^{Collection.}
time thereof to beginn from the assemblie wherein
hee petitioned to the cittie. for the said imployment,
and to end twentie one yeares after the date thereof;
and all clauses and covenantes are to bee observed by
him accordinge unto the late proposicions made uppon
his petitions. And whereas alsoe the said commons
preferred then another petition unto the said assemblie,
praying that the grauntinge of the said pettie custome
in manner aforesaid unto the said Alderman Thomas
Hooke without the three readings made accordinge to ^{Readings.}

1653. the lawe¹ made in Michaelmas assemblie, 1573, might Roll xiii.
m. 49.
bee noe prejudice to this cittie, nor noe president for
the future: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the forsaid graunt of the said
pettie custome shalbee no president for the future.

1653-4. 1653-4. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1653.— m. 41.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie,
sheweinge that there are severall greate sommes of
monney due to this cittie from the Commonwealth, and
therefore prayed that there might bee a committee
appointed by the said assemblie to audite and cast upp
the same, to the end that what shall justlie appeare to
bee due might bee represented to the honorable the
commissioners of the Commonwealth, and that what
shalbee graunted by them in lands or otherwise in
satisfaction thereof might bee converted to the use of
the poore of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the
persons hereafter named bee appointed a committee to
state the accomptes of such monneyes as were borrowed
for the supplie of the armie and for the use of the
Commonwealth, to the end that satisfaction may bee
gotten from the Commonwealth for the same. The
names of the persons appointed a committee as aforsaid
are as followeth: Mr. Maior, Mr. Alderman Smith, Mr.
Alderman Bladen, Mr. Alderman Hunt, Mr. Alderman
Tighe, Mr. Alderman Deey, Mr. Alderman Hooke, Mr.
Alderman Daniel Wybrantes, Masters Sheriffes, Mr.
Samuel Weston, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Enoch Rider and
Mr. Daniel Bellingham, or any sixe or more of them,
whereof Mr. Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee
alwaies two.

[2]. Whercas alsoe John Eastwoode, Samuel Weston,

¹ See vol. ii., p. 83.

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Richard Heyden, Thomas Springham and John Tottie 1653-4.
petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that they
latelie contracted with this cittie for the mannor, towne
and lands of Baldoyle, and the grange thereof, at soe ^{Baldoyle.}
deere a rate as they are not able to pay the rent of ^{Rent.}
the same, neither enjoyed they any parte of it accord-
inge as the same was graunted unto them; wherefore
they formerlie petitioned the assemblie of this cittie
therein, who were then pleased to promise to take the
same into their owne hands and to ease the petitioners
thereof, and therefore the said petitioners humbly de-
sired that this assemblie would bee pleased to accept of
a surrender of the petitioners estate and intrest in the ^{Surrender.}
premises and to discharde them thereof, and that they
would bee contented to pay the first yeares rent, the
one halfe yeare now (beinge already due), and the other
halfe yeare as the same should growe due: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that ^{Order.}
if the petitioners will surrender their intrest in the
premises alsoe and pay one hundred pounds, sterling, in
hand, and deliver upp the possession thereof within
tenn dayes now next ensueinge, and give their bonds
for payment of one other hundred pounds, sterling, to
bee paid at the five and twentieth day of March next,
1654, that then the same shalbee accepted; they to bee
allowed twelve pounds, sterling, for their birtch, out of ^{Allowance}
the last payment.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the assemblie aforesaid, shewing that the castle,
towne and lands of Baldoyle, with the appurtenances, ^{Baldoyle.}
lye wast and is of noe profitt or benefitt to this cittie;
and therefore prayed that a course might bee layde
downe therein for settinge the same, and that it might
bee graunted at the first readeinge, notwithstandinge
any former lawe made to the contrarie: it is therefore ^{Law.}
ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the lawe
of two readeinges bee suspended onelie for this present, ^{Readings.}

1653-4. and that the premises may bee sett at this present Roll xiii.
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assemblie.

Surdevele. [4.] Whereas likewise George Surdevele, taylor, preferred petition unto the said assembly, sheweinge that
 Baldoyle. the mannor, eastle, towne and lands of Baldoyle, and the grange thereof, in the countie of Dublin, belonginge unto this eittie, lye wast and untenanted, by meanes whereof the same are of noe benefitt to this eittie; and forasmuch as hee is willinge to improve the same if hee might have a tearme thereof, hee, the said George Surdevele, therefore prayed this assemblie to graunt unto him the said mannor, eastle, towne and lands of Baldoyle, and the grange of Baldoyle aforesaid, with the
 Tithes. greate and small tiethes thereof, together with the lords
 Fish. fish and tieth fish, with all the royalties thereunto
 Royalties. belonginge, for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, at the
 Rent. yearelie rent of one hundred and twentie pounds, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the said George Surdevele shall
 Lease. have a lease of all and singular the premises for tearme of threescore and one yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth day of March next, 1654, at the yearelie rent of one hundred, fortie and five pounds, sterling, to bee paid to the threasurer of this eittie for the use of the said eittie, and five pounds, sterling, yearelie to bee paid to the euratt there, and one dosen, and a halfe of linge
 Curate. fish at Christmas yearelie to the Maior of this eittie for
 Ling. the time beinge; with such clauses, condicions and covenantes as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Sankey Sullyard. [5.] Whereas Mr. Sankey Sullyard, alderman, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are certaine arreares of rent due to this cittie, amountinge to the somme of eleven pounds, sterling, on a parcell of
 Sutter lane. Sutterlane latelie in the possession of the ladie Cowley,
 Marshalsea. whereon the marshalsise of the Foure Courtes are builte,
 Four courts. and is latelie come into the petitioners possession, and
 Distracted times. that forasmuch as, through the miserie of these distracted

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times, little or noe profitt hath been made thereout, hee 1653-4.
therefore humblie prayed this assemblie to graunt to
him a reasonable abatement of the said arreares: it is Arrears.
therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid,
that, in consideracion of these distracted times, the
petitioner shalbee and is abated the third parte of the Abatement.
arreares aforsaid, hee payinge the remaynder thereof
within twentie eight daies now next ensueinge, or else
the said abatement to bee voyde.

[6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that Mr. Richard Tighe, alderman, shall have Richard
Tighe.
a lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares,
beginninge at Michaelmas last past, uppon a plott or
parcell of ground, parte of [Crockers lane, alias Crockers Crockers
lane.
Barrs,] now in his owne possession, and whereon there
is a [malte house builte,] contayneinge in length from
the old wall at the east end thereof, whereon a malte
mill sometime belonginge to the hospitall of Saint John Hospital
of St. John.
latelie stodee, alonge and through the said lane, one
hundred and seaven yards or thereaboutes, and in
breadth fourteene yards or thereaboutes, hee, the said
Richard Tighe, payinge the arreares of what rent is
already due on the premises, and surrendringe his Lease.
present lease in beinge thereof, and alsoe payinge
yearelie thereout dureinge the said tearme the yearelie
rent of fiftie shillings, sterling, unto the treasurer of Rent.
the cittie, for the use of the said cittie, and likewise a
cowple of fatt capons yearelie to the Maior of the forsaide Capons.
cittie for the time beinge, or tenn shillings, sterling, in
monney, at the election of the said Maior for the time
beinge; with such other necessarie clauses, condicions
and covenantes to bee incerted in the said lease as Mr.
Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[7.] Whereas alsoe Mr. George Gilbert, alderman, George
Gilbert.
petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there
is a small plott of ground, at the end of Saint Johns St. John's
church.
church, which hee tooke by demise from this cittie at

m. 41 b.

1653-4. the yearelie rent of foure pounds, sterling, out of which hee receaved noe rent as yett; and therefore humbly Roll xiii.
m. 41 b.

Surrender. prayed this assemblie to accept of a surrender of the same from him: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the petitioner shalbee and is dischardged of his forsaid ingadgment, hee paying twentie three shillings, sterling, for the yeare last past.

[8.] Grant of lease, for sixty-one years, to Alderman Daniel Wybrantes, "uppon a peece of wast ground in Wybrantes. Skippers lane;" annual rent: ten shillings, sterling.

[9] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the master, wardens and corporacion of Corporation of smiths. smithes shall have a lease, for tearme of threescore and one yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth day of March next, 1654, uppon a gate of this cittie, commonlie called Gormonds Gate, alias Ormonds Gate, to Gormond's gate. beee used for a hall for the said corporacion, at the yearelie rent of three pounds, sterling, with such other clauses, covenantes and condicions to beee therein incerted as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[10.] That Robert Hughes, gentleman, shall have a lease, for tearme of twenty and one yeares, to beginn from Michaelmas last past, uppon a wast peece of ground commonlie called the Bowleinge Alley on Hoggen Greene, and heretofore inclosed with rayles, contayneinge on each side thereof, in length from north to south, one hundred, fiftie and sixe foote, and in breadth from east to west, Robert Hughes. at the end thereof, towards Checker lane, one hundred and eleven foote, and in breadth in the other end thereof, Bowling alley, Hoggen green. towards Trinitie Colledge, one hundred and sixe foote, or thereaboutes, at the yearelie rent of fortie shillings, sterling; with such other clauses, covenantes and condicions to beee incerted therein as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[11.] Whereas likewise Thomas Jones, gardener, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there is due unto him the somme of fifteene pounds, Jones, gardener.

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m. 41, b.

sterling, by this cittie for clensing and carrying away
of the dunge and filthred that lay on the wast plott of
ground on the Wood kea, formerlie demised by this cittie
for an Exchange to bee builded thereon, and that there
is the somme of eight pounds, sterling, due on him to
this cittie, for his fine of freedome of the said cittie,
which is not as yett paied by him; and therefore hee
desired this assemblee to remitt unto him the said eight
pounds as in parte payment of the forsaid fifteene
pounds, and to lay downe a course therein whereby hee
might bee satisfied the remayne of the said monneyes,
beinge seaven pounds, sterling, due to him: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that
the eight pounds for the petitioners freedome aforesaid
shalbee allowed unto him, and that the treasurer of
this cittie shall pay the remaynder of the forsaid fifteene
pounds unto him out of the first monneyes which shall
come to his hands.

1653-4.
Cleansing.

Wood quay.
Exchange.

Fine of
freedom.

[12.] Whereas alsoe Jane Quine, daughter unto John Quine,
Quine, tailor, deceased, petitioned unto the said assem-
bly, sheweinge that her said father held from this cittie
two tenements, with a small plott of ground thereunto
adioyneinge, neere Saint Stephens poore house, at three
pounds sixteene shillings, sterling, per annum, for which
noe rent hath beene paied since the yeare 1644, in
regard noe benefitt hath beene made thereof; and for-
asmuch as shee hath taken out letters of administracion
of her said fathers estate, and hath not as yett made
any benefitt thereof, shee therefore humbly praied this
assemblee to dischardge her of the arreares formerlie
due thereout, and that shee would bee readie to pay
from henceforth the rent thereof: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that, in
regard the forsaid tenementes were almost totallie pulled
downe¹ and noe benefitt made thereof, that all the

St.
Stephen's
poor-house.

Arrears.

Tenements
pulled
down.

¹ See vol. iii., p. xxxi.

1653-4. arreares thereof shalbee and is hereby abated untill Roll xiii.
Abatement. Michaelmas last, shee paying the last Michaelmas rent m. 41 b.

within twentie eight dayes now next ensueinge, and the whole rent thereof for the time to come.

Margaret
Nelson.

[13.] Whereas Margaret Nelson, a poore widdow, petitioned alsoe, praying that (for certaine reasons sett forth in her said petition) shee might bee admitted to bee one of the sixe poore widdowes relieved by this cittie in an allowance of yearly almes, insteede of Catherine Enos, who is latelie married: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Maior shall examine the allegacions in the said petition mencioned, and, if hee shall finde them to bee true, to conferre the said place on the petitioner dureinge her widdowhoode.

Poor
widdows.

Enos.

Fine.

[14.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the fine of five pounds, sterling, imposed on Margaret Weyman, wife unto Edward Weyman, taylor, in Michaelmas sessions, 1652 (the said Edward Weyman having petitioned unto this assemblie for a remittall thereof) shalbee (in regard of the petitioners povertie) reduced to tenn shillings, sterling, to bee paid forthwith.

Weyman.

Reduction.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 42, 42b.
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: John Price, merchant, William Goodwin, tailor. By special grace, and on fines: Stephen Foxwest, merchant, Ralph Allen, George Huett, Robert Thornton, goldsmiths, Stephen Ditcher, Robert Winter, butchers, Matthew Pierson, John Percivall, Richard Floode, William Crafton, Thomas Orlikeare, William Healy, George Smith, Thomas Wilson, shoemakers, John Alweede, Patrick Nolan, Francis Hillyard, William Gibbes, Thomas Loman, Matthew Clifford, Matthew Dringe, William Gibson, Samuel Hickocke, Felix Burnet, Richard Swann, tailors, Robert Battripe, cooke, James Fade, John Butchin, Andrew Berry, John Hooton, Francis Rogerson, Thomas Paine,

Gold-
smiths.

Roll xiii.
m. 42, 42 b.

carpenters, Humphry Marshall, smith, George Locke, 1653-4.
Robert Barnewall, tanners, Peter Harrison, junior, brick-
layer, Philip Swifte, clothier, William Taylor, Peter
Lotchard, coopers. Admitted, on having served appren-
ticeships: John Orde, Humphry Jarvis, merchants.

Humphry
Jarvis.

m. 43.

1654. Second Friday after Easter.¹

1654

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas Josua
Carpenter preferred petition unto this assemblie, shewe- Carpenter.
inge that hee, together with Bartholomew Peisly, esquire, Peisly.
did at Easter assemblie, 1634, take a lease from this
cittie of the castle or mansion house of Taghdowe, in Taghdowe.
the countie of Kildare, with eight acres of gleabe land Kildare.
thereunto belonging, at the yearelie rent of five pounds,
sterling, and therefore desired (for certaine reasons sett
forth in his said petition) that this assemblie would
bee pleased as well to dischargd him of the arreares
of rentes incurred and due on him out of the premises,
as alsoe to accept of a surrender of the said lease, which
hee freelie offreth: it is therefore ordered and agreed,
by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that the peti-
tioner bee remitted the arreares due on the premises, Arrears.
and the surrender by him made (as in the petition is
desired) is accepted of; provided that he deliver the
peaceable possession of the premises to Mr. George
Surdevele, for the use of the cittie, and deliver in his Surdevele.
originall lease to be cancelled.

[2.] Whereas alsoe John Moorecott,² clearke, petitioned John
unto the said assemblie, desiring to have a lease for Moorecott.
tearme of sixtie and one yeares, uppon severall parcells
of wast ground in Saint Nicholas streete, Dublin, belong- St. Nicholas
inge to this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, street.
by the authoritie aforesaid, that, for the petitioners
incouradgement in his ministerie, hee shall have and Grant.

¹ Easter-day, 26 March, 1654.

² John Murcot, one of the preachers

in ordinary to the lord deputy and
council in Ireland. See Preface.

1654. enjoy the pcece of ground in the peticion mencioned Roll xiii.
m. 42, 42 b.
George Usher. latelie in the tenure of George Usher, merchant, con-
tayneinge in length thirtie and two yards, and in
Exercise of breadth seaventeene yards, dureinge the exercise of his
ministry. ministerie in this cittie, at the rent of a pepper corn
by the yeare.

[3.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authorite
Thomas Hooke, alderman, shalbee
Mayor. and is elected to bee Maior of this cittie of Dublin for
the next ensueinge yeare, beginninge at Michaelmas
Grant. next, 1654, and that hee shall have one hundred pounds,
sterling, in monney, for the supporte of his Maioraltie.

[4.] Mr. John Price and Mr. Garrott Vanhoven are
Sheriffs. elected to bee Sheriffs of the said cittie for the forsaid
yeare.

[5.] Mr. Ridgley Hatfeild, Mr. John Cranwell and
Aldermen. Mr. William Clifte are elected to bee aldermen in the
said cittie of Dublin.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 44, 44 b.
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Margaret
Admis- Moore, maiden. By special grace, and on fines: Andrew
sions to Lloyd, merchant, Robert Lawe, John Slycer, Bryen
franchise. Hughes, Thomas Wale, Thomas Barker, Isaac John,
goldsmiths, Thomas Snowe, Richard Brookeinge, “chi-
rurgeons,” William Benn, Augustine Capurne, carpenters,
Goldsmiths. Obadiah Pressicke, saddler, William George, William
Surgeons. Milburne, Thomas Gill, Robert Sherwinne, shoemakers,
Anthony Frisoll, John Shulivin, Jespar Roades, James
Fearon, glovers, John Beckett, bricklayer, Thomas Salis-
burie, William Crosse, Edward Jones, chandlers, Peter
Spence, John Jordan, Thomas Glasson, Henry Seeres,
William Betson, George Dobson, Bryen Nulty, William
Jones, James Lommax, Jacob Pearetree, tailors, Edward
Walton, Robert Gill, butchers, Abraham White, Robert
Nicholls, clothworkers, John Mullocke, John Garland,
Robert Chettam, William Marrow, coopers, William
Mylls, Richard Tappitoe, Daniel Bower, Charles Cottle,

Roll xiii.
m. 44, 44 b.

clothiers, Job Adkins, Richard Jones, smiths, Francis 1654.
Yeates, tanner, Thomas Davis, barber, Samuel Chamber-
line, baker, Isaac Chocke, plasterer. Admitted, on having
served apprenticeships: Edward Westby, tailor, Stephen
Hyatt, chandler. As daughters of freemen: Margaret
Batho, Margaret Stone, maidens.

m. 43—con-
tinued.

1654, May 12.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons peticioned unto this assemblie sheweinge
that there is by the direction and warrant of the com-
missioners of the renew a cesse of two hundred pounds,
sterling, per month for two monthes, beginninge from
the first of this instant month of May, 1654, required
to bee paied by this cittie towards the reliefe of the
army, and therefore the said commons desired this
assembly to nominatt and appointe such and soe many
of the commons therein as should bee thought fitt,
together with the Maior and aldermen, to make the
said cesse: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie of this said assemblie, that the Maior and
Sheriffes, the aldermen and twelve of the commons, or
any sixe of them, whereof the Maior to bee one, are
appointed to applott the forsaid cesse of this cittie on
the severall parishes thereof, and the out liberties within
the line, for two monthes next ensueinge. The names
of the commons nominated and appointed to make
the said cesse with the Maior, Sheriffes and aldermen,
videlicet: John Betson, for Saint Nicholas parish within
the walls; George Surdevele, for Saint Michaels parish;
Hugh Price, for Saint Warboroughes parish; Samuel
Weston, for Saint Johns parish; Thomas Robertes, for
Saint Andrewes parish; Nathaniel Philpott, for Saint
Brides and Saint Michael A-Powles parishes; Richard
Banks, for Saint Kevins parish; William Cox, for Saint
Nicholas parish without the walls; John Everton; for
Saint Catherins and Saint James parishes; John Tottie,

Commis-
sioners of
revenue.
Cess on
city.

Army.

Applot-
ment.

Line.

Cessors.

Parishes.

m. 43 b.

1654. for Saint Micheans parish ; and John Serjeant, for Saint Audeons parish. Roll xiii.
m. 43 b.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the inhabitantes of this cittie are much impoverished by reason of the greate calamities whereunto they have beene subjected for many yeares past, soe as the cittie is very much wasted, and the inhabitantes noe longer able to beare the greate paymentes imposed on them ; they therefore desired this assemblie that a committee might bee named therein to petition to the right honorable the commissioners of the Commonwealth of England for the affaires of Ireland that the weeklie cesse of this cittie, and the cesse for wolves, and other paymentes to which they are lyable, might bee taken off, and that the said committee have power to nominatt such agent or agentes as they shall thinke fitt for prosecuting the same, and all such other matters as they shall thinke fitt to conclude on for the good of the cittie, either in this land or in England, at the cittie chardge, and that the said committee have power to appointe and sett downe what shalbee disbursed for beareinge the chardge of the said agencie to bee paied by the cittie treasurer on the Maiors warrant: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaide authoritie, uppon consideracion had of the said petition and the contentes thereof, that Mr. Maior, Alderman Smith, Alderman Deey and Alderman Hooke, the Sheriffes, and sixe of the commons, to bee named by the house of commons, or any foure of them, whereof the Maior to bee one, doe consider of all such matters as are to bee for the good of the cittie contayned in the said petition, and to doe all such thinges as is above desired for the good of the said cittie. The names of the commons named and appointed by the house of commons as above is ordered, videlicet, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. John Serjeant, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. Samuel Weston, Mr. Marke Quine and Mr. Hugh Price.

Roll xiii.
m. 45.

1654. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

1654.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that forasmuch as there is a necessitie (within the severall parishes of this cittie of Dublin and liberties thereof) for leather bucketts, hookes and ladders, to prevent the greate danger of fire that may happen, they therefore prayed that an order might bee layde downe in this present assemblie, that leather bucketts, iron hookes and ladders bee forthwith provided within the severall parishes aforesaid: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that Mr. Maior give order to the inhabitantes of everie parish within this cittie and suburbs of Dublin to provide two dosen of bucketts for each parish, and a good longe ladder, and two hookes with their chaines and ropes, in each parish for prevencion of mischiefe by fire, to bee kept for that use in or neere the respective churches of the parishes aforesaid, and forthwith see the same to bee provided at the chardge of each parish respectivelie.

Danger of
fire.

Buckets.

Hooks.
Ladders.

Chains.

Parish
churches.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are certaine parcells of old iron, as brests, backs and head peeces of iron in the New Hall, Dublin, eaten with rust, and noe way usefull, which they prayed might bee (by an acte of this assemblie) disposed of for the use of the cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the treasurer and Sheriffs of this cittie doe sell the iron in the petition mencioned, and to pay the monney unto the treasurer to bee accounted for, to the use of the cittie.

Old
armour.
New Hall.

Sale.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons petitioned to the said assemblie, sheweinge that this cittie is very much destitute of a writeinge master and one to teach the arte of arithmeticke for the education of the youth of this cittie in writeinge and the arte of arith-

Writing
master.

Arithmetic.

1654. William Probie.	metieke; and forasmuch as there is one William Probie, <small>Roll xiii. m. 45.</small> who is latelie come into this cittie to teach the same if encouraged thereunto by giveinge or laying downe some allowance from this cittie for two yeares to come, and therefore the said commons desired this assemblie
Allowance.	to lay downe a course therein for some allowance for the said William Probie for the time aforsaid as should bee thought meete: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said William Probie shall have the somme of tenn pounds by the yeare for two yeares out of the treasurie of the cittie on the warrant of Mr. Maior for the time beinge, for his encouragement to sett upp in this cittie.
City treasury.	[4.] Forasmuch as Peter Wybrants, of Dublin, preferred petieion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that
Peter Wybrants.	whereas hee stands fyned in two hundred pounds, to bee
Fine.	paied to the threasurer of this cittie from the use of the
Absence.	eittie, which was for absentinge himselfe for undergoe-
Mayoralty.	inge the office of Maioralty in the said eittie when hee was thereunto called, and whereas by his said petition hee prayed this assemblie to putt him in condicion with those who have served the Maioraltie as formerlie by him desired: it is thereuppon ordered, agreed and enacted, by the said authoritie (uppon consideraicon had
Cesses.	of the many greate and deepe cesses, payments and other burdens which the petitioner hath borne in this eittie
Suffering of city.	dureinge the time of the suffering of this cittie, and for that this assemblie is perswaded that the petitioner did not wilfullie absent himselfe from undergoeing the office of Maioraltie when hee was thereunto called), that
Restoration to freedom.	the petitioner bee restored to bee a freeman of this cittie, and that hee and all his children, his and their heires, shall enjoy the freedome of this eittie, and that hee bee alsoe restored to the degree and office of an
Alderman.	alderman of the said eittie, and have his place in station
Payment.	as formerlie, hee paying to the threasurer of this cittie, to the use of the cittie, the somme of one hundred

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pounds, sterling, the one moytie thereof to bee paid on 1654. the twenty-fifth day of December next, 1654, and the other moytie on the twenty-fourth day of June, 1655, next followeing.

[5.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Hugh Roberts, gentleman, shall have a lease for tearme of fortie and one yeares, to beginn at Michaelmas next, on a plott of wast ground next adjoyneinge to his now dwellinge house, beinge parte of the towne ditch without Gormonds gate, which was latelie in the tenure and occupacion of Robert Duffe, marchant, deceased, contayneinge in length, from the stone wall towards the streete unto Mr. Garrott Vanhoven his warehouse, scituatt in the backe parte of his dwellinge house in Bridgstreete, fiftie yards or thereabouts, and in breadth, from the stone wall at the end of the said Hugh Roberts dwellinge house aforsaid unto the towne wall, twelve yards or thereabouts, at the yearelie rent of thirtie shillings, sterling.

[6.] That Rees Phillipps, vintner, shall have a lease for tearme of twentie and one yeares, to beginn at Michaelmas next, uppon all the slippes of the Marchant Key and the Woodkey of this cittie of Dublin, from the Bridge of the said cittie unto the east end of Fyans Castle, and the perquisittes to the same belonginge, at the yearelie rent of three pounds, sterling, hee repairinge the said slippes and likewise the walls of both the said keyes, and timbringe the Woodkey as formerlie, and raisinge it to its former height, and repaireinge the staires, and placeinge ring at each of the forsaid slippes, and maintaineinge them sufficientlie repaired from time to time dureinge his said lease; provided that hee doe putt them into full repaire as aforsaid by Michaelmas next.

[7.] That John Sams, yeoman, shall have a lease for tearme of fortie and one yeares, to beginn the nine and twentieth day of September next, uppon a plott of wast

Hugh
Roberts.

Gormond's
gate.

Vanhoven.

Bridge
street.

Town
wall.

Reas
Phillipps.

Slips.

Quays.

Fyans's
castle.

Walls.

Timber.

Repairs.

Rings.

Main-
tenance.

John
Sams.

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1654.
Butter
lanc.

ground in the little Butter lane, Dublin, over against the said John Sams now dwellinge house, which wast plott

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Earl of
Cork.

of ground meareth on the west and north sides unto the streete towards the little Butter lane aforesaid, on the east to the earle of Corke his land, and on the south to the cittie land there, and contayneth in length fiftie yards, or thereaboutes, and in breadth sixe [teene] yards, or thereaboutes, at the yearelie rent of fortie sixe shillings, sterling, provided it bee not in lease already.

Barlowe.

Water-
bailiff.

Tetlowe.

[8.] That William Barlowe shall have the place of one of the waterbailiffs of this cittie, lately held by John Tetlowe, deceased, together with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge dureing the pleasure of the cittie, in regard hee hath beene an auncient officer to this cittie for fortie yeares last past.

Duffe,
macebearer.

[9.] That Christopher Duffe, merchant, shall have the place of one of the macebearers of this cittie and officer to the commons, which William Barlowe formerlie held, together with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of this cittie.

Fees.

Musicians:
Clayton,
Huggard.

[10.] That James Clayton, musitian, shall have the place of musitian to this cittie, which John Huggard, deceased, latelie held, together with the fees, wages, and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of this cittie.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Jowann Wilcockson, maiden, Mary Cramer, Anne Cramer, maidens, daughters of Tobias Cramer, Sheriff; John Fletcher, merchant, James Bamber, tailor, John Wright, joiner. By special grace, and on fines: Edward Sowth, Richard Streete, goldsmiths, Jonathan Warde, Eustace Hooker, cutlers, Richard Peare, butcher, John Walker, Thomas Appleyard, Christopher Watson, William Tomlison, William Robinson, John Booth, John Metcalfe, John Holyman, clothiers, Patrick Ferrall, John Rathborne, glovers, William Kahir, shoemaker, Henry Palmer,

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m. 46.

mason, John Ravenscroft, joiner, James Gwyer, William 1654.
Horsley, barbers. John Loughden, Robert Styles, smiths,
Henry Watts, Robert Vaughan, tailors, James Bagworth,
buttonmaker. Admitted, on having served appren-
ticeship: Edward Beaton, butcher. In right of wife:
Hybernia Scott.

1654. July 31.

Act and order:—Whereas certaine of the commons
preferred peticion unto this assemblie, shewing that by
order of the honorable the commissioners of the renew Order by
Commis-
sioners of
revenue.
at Dublin, dated the three and twentieth of July, 1654,
it is ordered that fourescore pounds, eightene shillings
per month, from the twentie fifth day of June last untill Monthly
tax on in-
habitants.
the sixteenth of October next, bee taxed, assessed and
levyed uppon all and singuler the inhabitants of the
cittie and suburbes of Dublin, accordinge to their visible
estates, lands, tenements, hereditaments, rents, profitts,
goodes and chattells respectivelie within the said cittie,
suburbes and liberties thereof, as by the said order
appeareth; the said commons therefore prayed that a
course might bee layde downe in the said assemblie for
the taxeing, assessinge and levyinge of the said foure-
score pounds, eightene shillings on the severall inhabi-
tants of the said cittie and suburbes from the 25th of
June last untill the 16th of October next: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the
Maior and Sheriffes, callinge to their assistance soe
many persons of the severall parishes within the cittie Parishes.
liberties, and other partes within the lyne, as they shall
thinke fitt, shall asseesse and levie the cesse above men-
cioned on the inhabitants and dwellers within the said Assess-
ment.
cittie liberties and suburbes aforsaid.

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1654. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: Thomas Hooke, esquire. Sheriffs: William Mayor,
Sheriffs.
Coxe and John Desmoneere.

1654. Laws, ordinances and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. John Roll xiii.
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Treasurer. Preston, alderman, is chosen treasurer of the cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Masters of works. [2.] Mr. Thomas Clearke and Mr Tobias Cramer are chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

Auditors. [3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Bennett, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas Wakfield, Mr. William Smith, Mr. Sankey Sullyard, Mr. Robert Deey, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, the Sheriffes, Mr. Richard Cooke, Mr. Samuel Weston, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Owen Jones and Mr. Hugh Price, or any sixe or more of them, whereof Mr. Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, are elected auditors of the said cittie for the said yeare.

Corporations. Grievances. [4.] Whereas the severall masters and wardens of the severall incorporacions of this cittie of Dublin petitioned unto this assemblie, desiringe redresse of severall grievances sett forth in theire said petition, and speciallie concerneinge forreners and other persons that doe daylie intrude uppon theire severall incorporacions, and that alsoe a speedie course might bee taken for confirmacion of the severall charters of this cittie, the priviledges and immunities thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that the Maior, the Sheriffes, Alderman Smith, Alderman Preston, Alderman Wybrants, Mr. Thomas Clearke, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. Marke Quine, George Surdevele, William Hill and Hugh Price, or any sixe of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, shall have power to consider of the said petition, takeinge advise of Mr. Recorder and other councell, if neede bee, at the cittie chardges, and what they shall thinke fitt to bee done therein to make reporte thereof to the assemblie; and the Maior is desired to cause this committee to meete within one month hence, and to acte therein as is desired.

[5.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred peti-

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cion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that, by order of the commissioners of the revenue, dated the 25th of August, 1654, the Maior, Sheriffes and commons of the said cittie are required to levie uppon the severall inhabitants of the said cittie the sonne of ninetie three pounds and eightene shillings, sterling, of which there is thirteene pounds monthlie in arreare from the two and twentieth of July last untill the sixteenth of this instant October, 1654; and alsoe sheweinge that there is one hundred pounds in arreare for one fortnights cesse endinge the first day of May last, 1654, as by an order of the 11th of September last, 1654, may appeare; and therefore the said commons desired that a course might bee layde downe in this assemblie for levying of the said severall sommes of monneyes: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the Maior and sixe of the aldermen, the Sheriffes and eight of the commons, to bee nominated by the commons, are hereby authorised to cesse the monneyes above mencioned with all equalitie.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the cittie lands are ingaged for severall sommes of monneyes layde out by certaine men for coales and candles for courts of guardes for watchinge the cittie and repairinge the trenches about the same, alsoe for repairinge of Newgate, which amounts to about eleven hundred pounds, and for which the cittie doth pay intrest to the greate impoverishment thereof, in soe much that there is not lefte of the revenue soe much as will maintaine the officers of the cittie; and therefore the said commons desired that a cesse might bee made for cleereing of the cittie from such heavie ingagements, wherein the forreners are to beare the burthen as well as the freemen for such occasions: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that applicacion bee made by Mr. Maior unto the lord deputie and councill for power for

1654.
Order by
Commiss-
sioners of
revenue

Tax

Arrear.

Assess-
ment.

Nomi-
nation.

City lands.
Engage-
ments.

Trenches.
Newgate.

Revenue.
Officers
of city.

Foreigners.

Lord
deputy
and
council.

1654.
Clontuirke,
Baldoyle.

cessinge as much as the lands of Clontuirke and Baldoyle are ingaged for uppon the severall inhabitants of the cittie and suburbes thereof, and this to bee done before the next assemblie.

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m. 47.

Money due
to city.

England.

Agitation.

Agent.
Privileges.

Masters
of cor-
porations.
Applot-
ment.

[7.] Whereas likewise certaine of the said commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas there is much monney due unto this cittie from the publique, and that there hath beene many fitt opportunities of sendinge over into England (for satisfaction of the said monneyes) omitted, and now that a fitt opportunitie is offred, the said commons therefore prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby one might bee imploied to agitate and sollicite in the behalfe of this cittie, whereby satisfaction may bee given unto the said cittie for the monneyes soe laide out for the publique, and for further instructions to bee given to the said agent for enjoyning the just priviledges and immunities of the said cittie, and for further addicion thereunto, as [to] the said assemblie in their grave judgment should seeme meete: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the Maior, the Sheriffes, Alderman Smith, Alderman Preston, Alderman Wybrants, Mr. Thomas Clearke, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. Marke Quine, George Surdevele, William Hill, or any sixe of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffs to bee alwaies two, callinge to their assistance the master of each corporacion, shall applot uppon the severall corporations the somme of two hundred pounds, sterling, and shall have power to appointe an agent, and to give him instructions, and to agree with the said agent what hee shall have for his paines.

Tholsel.

[8.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons pre-ferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the Tholsell cellar hath for some yeares past yeelded noe profit to this cittie for want of a tennant, and therefore desired that the said cellar might bee sett and demised in this assemblie at the first readinge, notwithstandinge the

m. 47 b.

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m. 47 b.

lawe of two readings: it is therefore ordered and agreed, ^{1654.} by the said authoritie, that the petitioners request is ^{Readings.} graunted as to the lettinge of the said cellar onelie.

[9.] It is also ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Thomas Wakefield, alderman, shall ^{Thomas Wakefield.} have a lease for tearme of fortie and one yeares, to begin at Michaelmas last past, on the cellar under the Tholsell ^{Tholsel.} of this cittie, at the yearelie rent of eleven pounds, sterling, and shall have allowance of tenn shillings, sterling, in the first halfe yeares rent; the lease to bee drawn upp by Mr. Recorder, with such clauses as are usuall.

[10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, uppon the petition and at the request of certaine of the commons, that the place of stewardship to the treasurer of this cittie beinge unnecessarie, is hereby ^{Steward to City Treasurer.} made null and voyde, and lefte to the dispose of the ^{Abolition.} treasurer of the said cittie for the time beinge, as formerlie it hath beene.

[11.] Whereas John Exham, gentleman, petitioned ^{John Exham.} unto the said assemblie, desiring (for certaine reasons sett forth in his said petition) to remitt unto him three yeares arreares of rent, endinge at Michaelmas, 1653, due on him for a house hee holdeth of this cittie in Saint Thomas streete, at the yearelie rent of three pounds, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that, the petitioner paying two yeares rent presentlie and putting the said house in good repaire, and bringinge a certificatt thereof unto ^{Certificate.} Mr. Maior, the other two yeares rent shall bee abated unto him.

[12.] That Oliver Walsh shall have the place of ^{Oliver Walsh, marshal.} marshall of this cittie dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, and that hee shall enjoy all fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, hee puttinge in good securitie as other marshalls have done, and surrendringe the marshalls place of Newgate. Newgate

1654.
Titus
Deane.
Newgate.

[13.] That Titus Deane shall have the office of keeper of the gaole of Newgate, with all the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonging, dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, hee puttinge in securitie as others before have done. Roll. xiii.
m. 47 b.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise :—By special grace, and on m. 48.

fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Elizabeth Clayton, spinster. By special grace, and on fines: John Carter, Anthony Thomas, James Grave, Nathaniel Rigby, John Rocke, clothiers, James Robinson, tailor, John Ogden, chandler, Robert Barnes, cutler, Midleton Richardson, John Neeld, James Murphie, carpenters, John Ellis, Henry James, Michael Lalor, plasterers. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: Richard Tirrell, Thomas Elliott, barber-chirurgeons, Richard North, Thomas Ellison, clothiers, Daniel Whey, Richard Taylor, weavers, Francis Moore, joiner, George Faninge, tailor.

Barber
surgeons.

1654-5.

1654-5. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1654. m. 49.

Charges.
City
accounts.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons peticioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas many superfluous and irresponsibie chardges doe remayne in supers on the cittie accompts, which in noe manner can be recovered, to the greate disturbance of the said accompts, and that the severall leases graunted by this cittie are omitted to bee entred or booked; the said commons therefore desired this assemblie to take a course therein, and that the said irresponsibie chardges might bee stricken out, and a new chardge made onelie of such as are responsible, and that all the cittie leases might bee entred in a booke: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the treasurer, Alderman Smith and Alderman Wybrants, and foure of the commons, such as they shall nominatt, are appointed a committee to purge the cittie rent roll, and nominatt a fitt person to booke the cittie leases at the chardge of the cittie, and one of the said aldermen to bee alwaies one. The names of

Leases.
Omissions.

Book.

Smith.
Wybrants.
Committee.
City rent
roll.

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m. 49.

the commons nominated and appointed as aforsaid ^{1654-5.} are these, videlicet, Samuel Weston, Thomas Clearke, ^{Appoint-} Nathaniel Fowkes and Marke Quine. ^{ment.}

[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that George Surdevele, taylor, shall have a lease ^{George} for tearme of threescore and one yeares, to begin from ^{Surdevele.} the five and twentieth day of March next, 1655, uppon the castle or mance-house of Taghdowe, in the countie ^{Taghdowe,} of Kildare, with two garden plotts and a bawne there- ^{Kildare.} with, and alsoe eight acres of glebe land of English ^{Bawn.} Glebe- measure thereunto belonginge, the said land beinge a ^{Measure.} quarter of a mile or thereabouts distant from the said castle or mance-house, at the yearely rent of three ^{Castle.} pounds and twelve shillings, sterling, to bee paied to the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of the cittie, and a cowple of capons at Christmas yearelie to the Maior of ^{Capons,} the said cittie for the time beinge, or five shillings, sterling, in monney, with such other covenantes, conditions and clauses as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[3.] Whereas Joann White, a poore distressed widow, ^{White.} petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that William White, her late husband, deceased, had due unto him from this cittie the somme of five pounds, thirteene shillings and foure pence, sterling, for timber ^{Timber.} belonginge unto him, which was disposed of by this cittie for the repaire of the Bridge thereof, for which her ^{Bridge.} said husband nor herselfe never receaved any satisfaction as yett; and therefore shee desired this present assemblie to prescribe some speedie course for the present payment of the said monneyes unto her: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioner shall have a warrant from Mr. Maior, to bee directed to the treasurer of the cittie, for the payment of the forsaid five pounds, thirteene shillings and foure pence, sterling, to the petitioner out of such of the cittie renew that shall come to his hands.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie

- 1654-5. aforsaid, that William Lee, tanner (for certaine reasons Roll. xiii
m. 49.
Lee. sett forth in his petition to the said assemblie), shalbee remitted the somme of tenn shillings, sterling, the remayne of twentie shillings, sterling, due to this cittie for the fine of the freedome of Francis Sugden, tanner, late deceased, for whom the said William Lee became bound for the payment thereof.
- Sugden.
- Rider. [5.] That Peter Rider shall have the office and place of macebearer in this cittie, which Henry Fisher, macebearer, late deceased, enjoyed, together with all the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of this cittie.
- Fisher.
Mace-
bearer.
- Admis-
sions to
franchise. Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 50. fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Robert Hughes, goldsmith, Thomas Mitchell smith, Thomas Wilkinson, shoemaker, Peter Rider, tailor. By special grace, and on
- Goldsmith. fines: Jeremy Smith, merchant, James Heydon, goldsmith, Richard Hampton, saddler, Abraham Spencer, dyer, Zechiel Gilbert, carpenter, Philip Castleton, sword-cutler, William Ferrall, cook, Richard Pollard, tailor, Richard Robinson, barber, James Leigh, pewterer, Humphry Upshott, glover, Ralph Henshall, turner, Thomas Taylor, joiner, James Jackson, George Chadwicke, Roger Sharott, Francis Fernely, Thomas Clarke, John Smith, Hugh Kennedy, clothworkers, George Cade, knife cutler. As son of freeman: William Floode, tailor.
1655. 1655. Second Friday after Easter.¹ Laws, orders and m. 51. constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that the Sheriffes of this cittie, who are the receavers of the fee fearme revenue of the said citty, have not of late beene called to an accompte for the same, and those that have accompted have not paid in the sommes remayneinge due on the foote of their severall accomptes, whereby
- Sheriffs.
- Fee-farm
revenue.
- Accounts.

¹ Easter-day, 15th April, 1655.

Roll xiii.
m. 51.

the cittie is much prejudiced in their revenue; and ^{1655.} therefore the said commons humbly prayed that a course might be layde downe in this assemblie for the callinge of all such Sheriffes to their accomptes as have not yett accompted, and to cause all such as have accompted to bringe in such sommes of monneyes as are remayneinge due on the foote of their accomptes: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this assemblie, that the Maior, Alderman Smith, Alderman Huchinson, Alderman Hunt, Alderman Peter Wybrants, the Sheriffes, Markê Quine, Enoch Rider, George Surdevele and Nathaniel Fowkes, or any three of them, whereof the Maior or one of the Sheriffes to be one, are appointed auditors to take the accomptes of all such Sheriffes as have not accompted to the cittie, and to committ such as shalbe found in arreares in execucion accordinge to the statute untill they shall pay the said arreares, and alsoe to cause all such as have accompted and have not paid what is in arreare on their accomptes to pay the same.¹

[2.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are many grauntes of certaine lands and tenements belonging to this cittie made unto certaine persons by severall assemblies, who doe not take out their leases, repentinge them of their bargaines, though usuallie they (by their earnest desire of the same) outvie others that would be punctuall in their undertakeings, to the greate hindrance of the cittie revenue; and therefore the said commons desired that for the future noe lands or tenements be sett or graunted without a clause of haveinge the said graunt voyde, if they doe not take out their leases before the next generall assemblie after such graunts: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that all graunts hereafter to

¹ This is followed by an erased entry

1655. bee made of any lands or revenues of the said cittie Roll. xiii.
m. 51.
shalbe subject to a condition that the same shalbee voide,
if the said leases bee not taken out by the next generall
assemblie after such graunt made, at the election of
the cittie, and the cittie to bee at libertie to dispose of
the said lands and revenues as if such graunt had never
beene made.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas, uppon a
petition of certaine of the said commons in Christmas
assemblie last, it was ordered that the threasurer,
Smith.
Wybrants.
City
rent roll.
Book.
Leases.
Alderman Smith and Alderman Wybrants, and fourc of
the commons, such as they should nominatt, should bee
a committee to purge the cittie rent roll and nominatt a
fitt person to booke in the cittie leases; they therefore
desired in this assemblie that Alderman Deey and George
Surdevele should bee added to the said committee: it is
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that the said persons bec added to the said
committee as is desired.

[4.] Whereas Patricke Tallant, gentleman, preferred
petition unto the said assembly, sheweinge that hee
hath due unto him on this cittie in followeinge the
cittie suites the severall fees in a schedule unto his said
petition annexed mencioned, amountinge in all to fortie
fourc shillings, sixe pence, sterling, for payment whereof
hee prayed that a course might bee layde downe in this
assemblie, and for his care and labour therein: it is
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that the threasurer of the cittie doe pay the said
fees on the Maiors warrant, and doe pay the petitioner
for his paines in followeinge the said suites the somme
of five pounds, sterling, on the like warrant from the
Maior.

[5.] Whereas alsoe George Surdevele, taylor, petitioned
to the said assemblie, sheweinge that, uppon a former
petition preferred by him, the cittie was pleased to

George
Surdevele.

Roll. xiii.
 m. 51.

graunt him a lease for tearme of sixtie one yeares, to 1655.
 beginn on the five and twentieth of March, one thowsand,
 six hundred, fiftie five, on the mance house of Taghdowe, Taghdowe.
 with certaine acres of glebe land thereunto belonginge,
 formerlie in the holdeinge of Josua Carpenter, esquire, Josua
 at a certaine yearelie rent, and forasmuch as it was Carpenter.
 omitted in the said former petition and graunt to incert
 therein the small tiethes thereunto belonginge, beinge Tithes.
 parcell of the said Josua Carpenters said holdeinge; and
 forasmuch as it was intended and expected by the
 petitioner that the tiethes, with other perquisitts and
 profitts to the premises belonginge, should bee enjoyed
 by him in as lardge and ample manner as the said
 Master Carpenter, or any other person, heretofore held
 the same, and that by the said holdeinge hee is lyable
 to maintaine and keepe a sufficient minister or curatt Minister.
 to scerve the cure of the parish church of Taghdowe Curate.
 aforsaid, and that onely by reason of the benefitt of
 the said tiethes; and therefore the petitioner prayed
 this assemblie to graunt him the said small tiethes,
 and other perquisitts and profitts to the premises belong-
 inge, to bee incerted in his said lease accordinge to
 the true sence and meaneing of his forsaid graunt
 of the premises: it is therefore ordered, agreed upon
 and declared, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said
 George Surdevele shall have the said small tiethes,
 and all other the particulers touchinge the premises in
 the lease made thereof formerlie unto Mr. Josua Car-
 penter and Mr. Bartholomew Peisly, soe as the petitioner Peisly.
 bee bound to performe all the covenants, condicions and
 reservacions in the said lease made to Mr. Carpenter
 and Mr. Peisly contained; and Mr. Recorder is desired
 to drawe upp the petitioners lease accordinge to the
 said lease.

[6.] Whereas sir Silvester Browne, baronett, and dame Sir
 Mary, his wife, did petition unto the assemblie aforsaid, Silvester
 praying (for certaine reasons expressed in their said Browne.

1655. petition) to have graunted unto them a remittall of all such arreares as are due in them for a wast plott of ground in Oxmanton, which they hold by vertue of a demise from this cittie made unto James Stanley, sonne to John Stanley, of Dublin, merchant, deceased, they paying the groweing rent due thereout thereafter: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the said authoritie, that the petitioners bee remitted all the arreares of rent due out of the said wast plott of ground, soe as they give George Surdevele securitie for the true payment of the yearelie rent hereafter to growe due to this cittie out of the premises by vertue of the forsaid demise for the time to come, and that the treasurer of this cittie shall take the said securitie within eight daies now next ensueinge, otherwise this graunt to bee voyde.

[7.] It is also ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that John Betson, marchant, shall have a lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth of March, one thowsand, sixe hundred, fiftie five, uppon a wast plott of ground in Saint Nicholas streete, latelie in the tenure of John Moorecott,¹ minister of Gods word, contayneing at theeast end there of fiftie nine foote, or thereabouts; in breadth, at the west end thereof, fortie five foote and a halfe, or thereabouts; in breadth and in length, from east to west, ninetie sixe foote, or thereabouts, at the yearely rent of five pounds and five shillings, sterling; and that the said John Betson shalbee bound to build the forestreete of the premises with bricke houses within seaven yeares next after the commencement of the said lease; with such other clauses, covenants and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to incert therein.

[8.] Mr. Richard Tighe, alderman, is chosen Maior of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

¹ Murcot. See p. 61.

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[9.] Mr. Daniel Bellingham and Mr. Richard Palfrey ^{1655.} are chosen Sheriffs of the said cittie for the said yeare. ^{Sheriffs.}

m. 50 b.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: John Burneston, goldsmith, Rees Jones, cook. By special grace, and on fines: Sampson Waters, blacksmith, William Brampton, barber, Thadee Nyland, tailor, Marke Wolfe, glover, Thomar Pierson, smith, William Neale, baker; Thomas Turlington, Matthew Hamon, butchers. Admitted, on having served apprenticeship: William Davys, plateworker. <sup>Admis-
sions to
freedom.</sup>

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1655. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Memorandum: That the twentieth day of July, in the yeare of our Lord God one thowsand, six hundred, fiftie five, beinge the fourth Fridaie next after the feast of the Nativitie of Saint John Baptist in the said yeare, an assemblie was then to bee held accordinge the auncient custome of this cittie of Dublin; but the Maior of the said cittie beinge indisposed in his health, and not able to bee then present at the said assemblie, the Sheriffes, aldermen and commons of the forsaid cittie then assembled together did adjourne the forsaid assemblie untill the third day of August then next ensueinge, and from that day untill the tenth day of August aforsaid, and from the said tenth day of August untill the foure and twentieth day of August aforsaid, on which foure and twentieth day of August, in the yeare 1655 aforsaid the said assemblie was then fullie holden. <sup>Assembly.

Indis-
position
of Mayor.

Adjourn-
ments.</sup>

1655, August 24.—Whereas Ralph Allen petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee bought of sir Silvester Browne and dame Mary, his wife, administratrix of James Stanley, deceased, one parcell of ground called the Dunghill, demised to him from this cittie in the yeare 1632, for ninetie nine yeares, and that hee is willinge and ready to surrender his intrest and writeinges <sup>Ralph
Allen.

Browne.

Dunghill.</sup>

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in the same, soe as hee may bee graunted a new lease of the same, and therefore hee humblie desired this assemblee to graunt him a lease of the premises for the like tearme and at the old rent, beinge twentie shillings, Irish: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblee, that the petitioner, surrendringe his said intrest and writeings concerneinge the premises, shall have a new lease thereof at the old rent for the remayneinge yeares of the said lease not determined under the condicions, covenants and clauses in the said old lease contained.

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m. 53.Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Judith Swinfield, spinster. By special grace, and on fines: Leonard Frost, Simon Hill, chandlers, Robert Sheply, William Rabishaw, cooks, Isaac Turnell, Thomas Holme, plate-workers, Richard Friend, glazier, Edward Skinner, Nicholas Harman, George Littlefield, tailors, Daniel Roofes, girdler, Laurence Sweath, Oliver Doleman, William Norris, Christopher Mayinan, butchers, William Hallywell, Thomas Cooke, glovers, Peter Stafford, shoemaker. As daughters of freemen: Elizabeth Veldon, Jane Halgan, spinsters. In right of wife: William Neale, tailor,—“for that he married Margaret Fullam, daughter of Laurence Fullam, baker, freeman, deceased, she being a freewoman, sworne and enrouled.”

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1655. Third Friday after 29 September.

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Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Mayor: Richard Tighe, esquire. Sheriffs: Daniel Bellingham and Richard Palfrey.

Hooke,
Treasurer.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Thomas Hooke, alderman, is chosen treasurer of the said cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Masters
of works.

[2.] Mr. William Cox and Mr. John Desminieres are chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

Auditors.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Treasurer, Mr. Alderman Bennett, Mr. Alderman Forster, Mr. Alderman Wakefield, Mr.

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Alderman Smith, Mr. Alderman Huchinson, Mr. Alderman 1355.
Peter Wybrants, Mr. Alderman Mylls, Mr. Alderman
Cranwell, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Richard Cooke, Mr.
Richard Heydon, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. Owen Jones,
the Master of the Tailors, the Master of the Smithes, the
Master of the Glovers, or any sixe of them, whereof Mr.
Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, are
chosen auditors for the said cittie for the said yeare.

[4.] Whereas John Betson, marchant, petitioned unto ^{Betson.}
this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas this cittie did
demise unto William Bell, barbor-chirurgion, one wast ^{Bell.}
plott of ground in Saint Nicholastreete, at the yearelie <sup>St.
Nicholas-
street.</sup>
rent of foure pounds, sterling, which since the graunt
thereof is in arreare of the said rent for two yeares past,
amountinge to eight pounds, sterling, and that the
petitioner hath of late purchased the said William Bells
intrest of the premises by reason of his holdeinge of the
next adjacent ground thereunto, latelie in the tenure of
Mr. Moorccott, and demised latelie by the said cittie unto ^{Moorecott.}
the petitioner, which hee acquired for the better improve-
ment of both the said plotts of ground, and therefore hee
prayed this assemblie to remitt the said two yeares
arreares of rent due in manner aforesaid: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said
assemblie, that (for the reasons in the petition mencioned
and alleadged) the petitioner shall have the first two
yeares rent abated, beinge foure pounds a yeare, which
William Bell aforesaid was to pay.

[5] Whereas likewise Eustace Hopkins petitioned ^{Hopkins.}
to the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee, beinge tennant
to this cittie for the fishinge belongiuge to the same on ^{Fishing.}
the river of Liffey, and beinge in his said holdeinge was ^{Liffey.}
interrupted and hindred by the honorable the earle of <sup>Earl of
Meath.</sup>
Meath his tennants, against whom the petitioner com-
menced suite, in prosecutinge whereof hee hath beene at
much expences of monney in the behalfe of this for the
maintenance of the right thereof for the fishinge on the

1655. said river, besides the losse of his time; and therefore Roll xiii.
m. 55. hee humblie prayed this assemblie to give him his said disbursements, with such other consideracion for his losse of time and hindrance by him sustained as shalbee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the Sheriffes of this cittie
- Abatement. shall abate unto the petitioner fiftie shillings out of the next rent hee is to pay, and that the said Sheriffes shalbee allowed it uppon their accompte.
- [6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
- Cooke. authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Richard Cooke shall have a lease for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn at Michaelmas last, uppon a small peece of ground scituatt
- Conduit. St. Michael's church. betweene the conduite at Saint Michaels church and the gate leadeinge into the churchyard of the said church, contayneinge in length seaven yards and three quarters of a yard, or thereabouts, and in breadth, at the north end thereof, foure foote and a halfe, or thereabouts, to the pillar of the church, and in breadth, att the south end thereof, three foote, or thereabouts, and alsoe one other peece of ground whereon there stands a small shedd builded, contayneinge in length twentie two foote, or thereabouts, and in breadth seaven foote, or thereabouts, at the yearelie rent of thirtie and one shillings, sterling, with such other clauses and covenantes to bee incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
- Pillar.
- Richard Cooke. [7.] Mr. Richard Cooke, marchant, is elected to bee one of the aldermen of this cittie of Dublin.
- Admissions to franchise. Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m 54.
- Goldsmith. fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Anne Sanders, Dorothy Treutbacke, Elizabeth Horleston, spinsters; Patrick Russell, goldsmith; Angell Hollyard, shoemaker; William Hendrickin, joiner, William Roberts, cook, Edward Clearke, barber. By special grace, and on fines:
- Distiller. Edmond Earle, distiller, Jacob Hudson, clothier, Oliver Warren, Thomas Powell, William Smith, Thomas Hamon,

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Toby Haselrigge, tanners, John Husband, John 1655.
Humphrey, George Hughes, carpenters, Edward Smith,
butcher, William Robinson, plasterer, William Bottomly,
• Thomas Browne, bricklayers, John Everett, baker, John
Jones, joiner, John Sault, blacksmith. Admitted, on
having served apprenticeships: William Malone, baker,
Richard Lynes, "heilier." As daughters of freemen: Eliza-
beth Huchinson, Rebecca Whytters, spinsters.

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1655-6. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1655, 1655-6.
Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, <sup>Petitions
for leases.</sup>
shewing that whereas divers have petitioned to the
severall assemblies of this cittie for the graunts of leases
unto them for tearme of yeares uppon lands, houses and
grounds belonginge unto this cittie, and that uppon the
voteinge of the rentes thereof such person or persons as
have petitioned for the same have beene oftentimes
outbidden by others in increaseinge the said rentes, <sup>Increase
of rents.</sup>
although (as many times it happeneth) they doe not <sup>Out-
bidding.</sup>
knowe the land, house or ground soe to bee rented, and
after such graunt made and agreed uppon, yett the said
persons soe out-biddinge doe not onelie neglecte the
takeinge out of their leases, and acceptinge thereof, but
doe not pay the rent reserved by their said graunts, to
the greate prejudice of the said cittie and those who have
laboured in gaineinge the same, and in haveinge the
surveigh thereof made; and therefore the said commons ^{Survey.}
humble desired that this assemblie would lay downe a
course whereby such persons as doe outbidd others in
manner aforesaid might bee (uppon such grauntes made
unto them) compelled to take out their leases by the ^{Leases}
next generall assemblie then followeing their said
grauntes, or otherwise to loose the benefitt thereof, and
to forfeite one yeares rent reserved thereon, and to pay
to the petitioner thereof for his labour and chardges
whatsoever hee shalbee at: it is therefore ordered and

1655-6. agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblee, Roll xiii.
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that whosoever shall bidd for any lands or houses
belonginge to this cittie, that, on subscribeinge the said
Bonds. graunt, hec shall enter into a bond of twentie pounds,
sterling, to the treasurer of the said cittie for the time
Conditions. beinge, with condicion to take forth his lease, uppon
any such graunt made unto him by the next generall
assemblee, or otherwise to forfeite the somme of twentie
pounds, sterling, for the use of the said cittie.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine the commons petitioned
the said assemblee, sheweinge that whereas there hath
Watch- beene formerlie allowed a watchman to everie gate of
men. this cittie, and that forasmuch as such persons are very
Gates. necessaric not onely to the good government of this
cittie, but alsoe usefull for the goeing up and downe
Night- theire quarters in the night time, to see that there bee
time. noe danger of fire, and alsoe breakeinge of shoppes and
Fire. houses, and to the end that that good government and
Shops. order might bee revived and putt in execucion, the said
Houses. commons humbly desired this assemblee to lay downe
some course for the appointment of watchmen and theire
Appointment. allowance by cesse out of the respective wards, or other-
ment. wise as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered
Allowance. and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Maior
shall call the aldermen and deputie aldermen of this
cittie together, and agree for the appointeinge of watch-
Cess. men as aforsaid, to bee paid by cesse on the cittie,
which watchmen are to bee imployed at the gates and
City. watcheinge the cittie.

[3.] Whereas alsoe Christopher Sexton, gentleman,
Sexton. and Margaret, his wife, former wife unto George Prowd-
Prowdfoote foote, merchant, deceased, daughter and executrix unto
Taylor. William Taylor, late of Dublin, gentleman, alsoe deceased,
petitioned the said assemblee to remitt unto them cer-
taine arrears of rent of the somme of thirtie one shillings,
sterling, per annum, due since the beginninge of the
Fishamble- late rebellion, uppon a voide peece of ground in Fish-
street.

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amble streete, heretofore demised to the said William 1655-6.
Taylor: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authority aforesaid, that uppon payment of the somme
of five pounds, sterling, in liewe of all the forsaide
arreares, the petitioners are remitted the rest of the said
arreares due unto and for Michaelmas last, soe as the
said five pounds, sterling, bee paid within one month
from this day.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that sir John Temple,¹ knight, shall have a lease Sir John
Temple.
for tearme of ninetie and nine yeares from the five and
twentieth day of March next ensueinge the date hereof,
which shalbee in the yeare of our lord God one thousand,
six hundred, fiftie sixe, uppon a wast peece of
ground belonginge to this cittie, scituatt in Dammas- Dammas
street.
streete behinde the garden of the said sir John Temples Garden.
house there, boundinge on the south side to the said
garden, and the lady Andersons garden; on the north Anderson.
with the river of the Liffie; and on the west it extends Liffey.
to the wharfe latelie builte there by Mr. Pooley uppon Pooley.
Mr. Newmans land; and on the east, towards a corner Newman.
of a stone wall, where Mr. Annesley hath a house, which Annesley.
wast peece of ground containeth, from the corner of the
lane there, towards the Liffie, fortie two yards, or there-
aboutes, at the west end thereof; and in length, seaventie
four yards, or thereaboutes, from the place called Dirty Dirty-lane.
lane to the corner of the said sir John Temples wall;
and in breadth, from the corner of the said sir John
Temples wall aforesaid to the forsaide river of Liffie, Wall.
seaventie four yardes, or thereaboutes, at the east end,
at the yearely rent of fortie shillings, sterling, with
such other covenantes, condicions and reservacions as
Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to incerte in the said lease.

[5.] That Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, shall have a Nathaniel
Fowkes.

¹ Master of the rolls in Ireland. See | and war in Ireland," vol. ii., p. 408.
"History of the Irish Confederation | Dublin: 1882.

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street.

lease for tearme of sixtie and one yeares uppon one <sup>Roll xiii.
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Fowkes.

[6.] That the forsaid Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, shall ^{m. 57 b.}

Hoggen
Green.

Bowling-
alley.

St.
Stephen's
Green.

Tibb and
Tom.

Trench.

Capons.

Mayor.

have a lease for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, from the feast of Easter next, which shalbee in the yeare of our Lord God one thowsand, six hundred, fiftie sixe, uppon a wast plott of ground, parte of Hoggen Greene, scituatt and beinge in the valley without the trench there, and leadeth from the place commonly called the Bowleinge Alley upp unto the lane leadeinge from thence unto Saint Stephens Greene, and containeth on the south end, videlicet, from the highway to the workes or trench there over against the place called Tibb and Tom, eightie sixe yards, or thereaboutes; from Saint Stephens Greene aforsaid on the east side, alonge the highway towards the porte there, one hundred, sixtie and eight yards, or thereaboutes; and from the highway to the workes or trench aforsaid at the north end, thirtie and one yards and a halfe, or thereaboutes, at the yearelie rent of seaven pounds, sterling, and a cowple of fatt capons yearelie unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge, with such covenantes, condicions and reservacions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to incerte in the said lease; provided that hee doe leave a highway of fortie foote broad all alonge on the south end of the premises.

Thomas
Hooke.

[7.] Whereas certaine the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, shewinge that Alderman Thomas Hooke, late Maior of this cittie, did by his severall warrants to the threasurer of this cittie direct and order

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the treasurer to pay unto the severall beadles of this ^{1655-6.}
cittie the somme of fortie pounds, sterling, which ^{Beadles.}
accordinglie the said treasurer paid unto them, of ^{Treasurer.}
which hee prayed an allowance on his accompte as
treasurer before the auditors of this cittie, which hee ^{Auditors.}
was denied ; and therefore hee humbly prayed the said
assemblie to lay downe a course whereby the same might
bee allowed unto the said treasurer on his accompte
before the said auditors: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said
treasurer of this cittie shalbee allowed such monneyes
as hee paid to the forsaid beadles, beinge fortie pounds
and twelve shillings, sterling, on the Maiors warrant on
the passinge of his accompte, and for the time to come
theire salarie to bee allowed by cesse on the severall
parishes of this cittie.

[8.] Whereas George Surdevele, taylor, preferred ^{George}
petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath ^{Surdevele.}
beene at much chardges and expences, besides his labour
and paines, in defendinge this cittie right and title unto
the mance-house of Taghdowe, with certaine acres of ^{Taghdowe.}
glebe land and the small tiethes thereunto belonginge, ^{Tithes.}
hee beinge tennant thereof unto this cittie: uppon
consideracion whereof, it is ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner shalbee allowed
fortie shillings, sterling, out of the next rent hee is to
pay to this cittie in regarde of the reasons in the said
petition mencioned.

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[9.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that Edward Smith shall have the place and ^{Smith.}
office of one of the sergeants at mace in this cittie of ^{Sergeants}
Dublin, dureinge the pleasure of the said cittie, with the ^{at mace.}
fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge.

Admissions to franchise: By special grace, and on fine ^{Admis-}
of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Catherine Rogerson, ^{sions to}
Frances Lovell, spinsters ; Thomas Heward, merchant, ^{franchise.}
Amos Ogden, goldsmith, Thomas Hughes, barber. By

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special grace, and on fines: Warnær Westenra, Isaac Ablyn, merchants, Daniel John, Edward Mason, goldsmiths, Thomas Bote, cutler, Denis Dunne, blacksmith, John Ratliffe, sherman, William Man, smith, James Fitzwilliams, Samuel Taylor, barbers, Robert Hoskins, bricklayer, John Lacey, butcher, William Kelly, glover, Thomas Cheeke, girdler, William Smith, clothier, Francis Benson, George Taylor, weavers, John Bellingham, chandler. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: Charles Warren, Josua Brandrith, merchants, Stephen Blackney, barber-surgeon, Michael Atkinson, weaver, Thomas Tomlinson, sherman, John Dowran, trunk-maker, Thomas Ellis, bricklayer, John Hoghlan, joiner. As daughters of freemen: Elizabeth Lewys, Thomasin Morchow, spinsters.

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1656.

1656. Second Friday after Easter.¹

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Chamber-
laine.Richard
Tighe,
Mayor.Crocker-
lane.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas John Chamberlaine, servant to Mr. Maior, preferred petition unto this assemblée, sheweinge that Richard Tighe, esquire, now Maior of the cittie of Dublin, holdeth by lease from this cittie a parte of Crockers lane, on parte of which hee hath builte a malte house which cost him upwards of three hundred pounds, and that if hee might

¹ Easter-day, 6 April, 1656. The renewal of the city muster on Easter Monday in this year is noticed as follows in the "Public Intelligencer," London, 1656: "From Dublin, April 6. This day gave resurrection to a no less ancient than innocent custom which lay buried (during the war) till now that it was revived. It was at first instituted to commemorate a deliverance given this place by the valour of the then Mayor and townsmen, when their neighbours, the septes of the O'Dwyres [O'Byrnes] and O'Tooles, made their incursion from Wickloe against this city. The defeat being given them within two miles thereof,

custom hath since ordered the solemnity to be there anniversarily observed; my lord Henry Cromwell, with some other members of his Highness' council here, thought fit by their presence to encourage the solemnity of the day, where they were nobly entertained by the Mayor and his brethren in the field, which was seconded by the loud acclamations of their companies for that additional honour, the Mayor assuring his lordship that the city of Dublin afforded a double sword for his Highness and his lordship's service, and if occasion required could double their men." See also vol. ii., p. x.

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have a further interest therein hee would further ^{1656.}
improve the same and builde a dwellinge house thereon ;
and forasmuch as the said Richard Tighe hath uppon all ^{Services to}
occasions offred and cheerefullie and faithfully served ^{city.}
this cittie, the petitioner therefore prayed this assemblee ^{Richard}
to graunt him, the said Richard Tighe, a fee farme of ^{Tighe.}
the said land which hee holdeth from this cittie: it is
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of
this present assemblee, that the petitioner, having made
a surrender of the old lease, shall have a new lease of ^{Lease.}
the premises for ninetie nine yeares from Easter last past,
at the same rent that is reserved on the lease in beinge ;
the lease to be drawn by Mr. Recorder, with such clauses
and condicions as hee shall thinke fitt.

[2.] Grant of lease, for sixty-one yeares, to Mr. John
Cranwell, alderman : two houses or tenements in Skippers ^{Cranwell.}
lane ; annual rent : eleven pounds, sterling, "and a couple ^{Skipper's-}
of fatt capons to bee paid to the Maior of this cittie for ^{lane.}
the time beinge." ^{Capons.}

[3.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that Minard Christian, merchant, shall have ^{Minard}
a lease for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn ^{Christian.}
at Easter last past, uppon soe much of the ground of
Crockers lane, alias Crockers Barrs, as is scituatt and ^{Crockers}
lyeing in the backe parte of the now dwellinge house of ^{Barrs.}
sir Robert Newcomen, baronett, in Saint Thomastreete, ^{Sir Robert}
contayneinge in length foure and twentie pearches, or ^{Newcomen.}
thereabouts, and in breadth twentie sixe foote, or there- ^{St. Thomas-}
abouts, at the yearelic rent of foure pounds and tenn ^{street.}
shillings, sterling ; the said lease to bee drawn by Mr.
Recorder, with such clauses and condicions as hee shall
thinke fitt to bee incerted therein.

[4.] Grant of a lease, for sixty-one years, to John
Sisson, butcher : a parcell of ground at the end of Saint ^{Sisson.}
Johns church, in Fishamble streete, lately demised to ^{Fishamble-}
Mr. George Gilbert, alderman, and surrendered by him ; ^{street.}
annual rent : five pounds, sixteen shillings, sterling. ^{Gilbert.}

1656.
Ridgley
Hatfield,
Mayor.

[5.] Mr. Ridgley Hatfield, alderman, is chosen Maior ^{Roll xiii.} of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare, ^{m. 58.} and is to have two hundred pounds allowed him for the supportacion of his Maioraltie.

Sheriffs.

[6.] Mr. Ralph Vizer and Mr. John Knott are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on ^{m. 59.}

Clock-
maker.

fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Anne Burrowes, spinster; Obadiah Bradshawe, John Dutton, merchants, James Lee; goldsmith, Thomas Osborne, clockmaker, George Tompson, baker, John Bater, tailor. By special

Watch-
maker.

grace, and on fines: Henry Reynolds, Edward Sympson, Timothy Grolier, merchants, William North, watchmaker, Robert Collyns, cutler, Caleb Seaman, carpenter, John Cannuell, Arthur Studdert, smiths, Benjamin Archer, Thomas Ardan, turners, Walter May, John Beckly, Edward Williams, tailors, John Benson, barber, Thomas Doelittle, weaver, Richard Gamble, Thomas Bellew, William Drayton, bakers, Thomas Roberts, shoemaker. As children of freemen: Brigid Robbucke, Mary Robbucke, spinsters; Walter Roch, barber-surgeon.

1656, April 28.

Orders and constitutions.—[1] Whereas certaine of ^{m. 58 b.} the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge

Ancient
custom.
Install-
tion.

that whereas it hath beene an auncient custome in this cittie, at the installing into freedome therof any noble-

Henry
Cromwell.

man, earle, lord, etc., to bestowe a banquet upon him at the publique chardge of the cittie; and whereas the lord Henry Cromwell is admitted free of this cittie, the said commons therefore have desired that this present assemblie would bee pleased to lay downe a way for raisinge of such a summe of monney as might bee thought competent for the chardge of a banquet at the said lords instahment; and whereas alsoe there was bestowed at the baptizeinge of the said lord Cromwelles

Banquet.

Roll xiii.
m. 58 b.

sonne¹ three peeces of plate, to the value of thirtie five pounds, fourteene shillings and eight pence, sterling, it was alsoe desired by the said commons that this present assemblie would prescribe and lay downe a way whereby present payment might bee made for the said plate: uppon readinge of which petition it is ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this assemblie, that at the publique chardge of the cittie a banquet be prepared at the time of the lord Cromwells installinge into the freedome of this cittie, as is in the petition desired, and that the chardge thereof, as alsoe the chardge of the forsaid plate, videlicet, thirtie five pounds, fourteene shillings and eight pence, sterling, in the said petition mencioned, bee allowed out of the cittie treasurie uppon

1656.
Plate

Admission
to freedom.

¹ In relation to these matters the following contemporary notices appeared at London:

"From Dublin, April 31:—The 19th instant my lord Henry Cromwell became the joyful father of a son; which as it hath been a matter of great joy to us, so I presume it will of welcome news to you. The earnest prayers of good people gave his lordship's lady so easy a deliverance, that the most part of her ladyship's travel was spent in despatching letters for England: the joy thereof confined not itself long within the walls of their private family, but was strait blazed by several bonfires throughout the city; the honest townsmen seeming emulous who should contribute the greatest solemnity for so great a mercy. The 24th following the joys were more perfect, there being more congratulations for the infant's admission into the Church by baptism than its entrance into the world by birth; his lordship having openly in Christ Church offered up his child that day to the Lord in that ordinance and given it his Highness' name; which so heightened the joy of the congregation that I never saw in one meeting more eyes and, I believe, hearts more intently lifted up to the Lord in prayer; never heard more passionate praises for a

blessing than on that day, which gives no small support to my faith that a child of such prayers and praises shall not miscarry, which the Lord hath hitherto abundantly answered.

"The officers of state, both civil and military, nobility, gentry and ministry, were present to adorn the solemnity of that day; having larger hearts than room, many were forced to pay their respect without the doors of the church. The sermon and sacrament being ended, my lord, attended with this magnificent retinue, returned to the castle, where was an entertainment provided which well suited with the joy it represented, which had its exit with a handsome banquet. Many who were impartial observers report that they never saw so numerous a company attended with so much civility.

"The day being thus spent, as if that time had been too short to express the greatness of their joy, the good people began their nocturnal mirth, making such piles in all the streets, that when fired the whole city seemed as one bonfire. The following day the Mayor and his brethren presented the infant with three fair pieces of plate; and are now preparing farther to congratulate his lordship at a publick banquet, as a further testimony of their yet greater respect."

1656.

the Maiors warrant out of the first monney that shall come into the treasurers hands. Roll xiii.
m. 58 b.

Artillery
yard.
Ancient
usage.

Corpora-
tions.

Collection.

Contribu-
tions.
Engraving.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, settinge forth that it is thought expedient, not onelie for the repete, but alsoe for the necessarie convenience of this cittie, to have a place sett out and appointed for an artillery yard, accordinge to the auncient usage and custom of former times; the said commons therefore humbly desired that this present assemblie would consider of a plott of ground to be sett out, fenced and appointed for an artillery yard, as is aforesaid: uppon readinge of which petition, it is ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the Maior and Sheriffes (callinge to their assistance such masters of the respective corporacions within this cittie as they shall thinke fitt) doe consider of a convenient place for an artillery yard, as is above desired, and that the master of each corporacion bee desired by the Maior to collecte the free contribucion of his respective corporacion towards the defraying of the chardge thereof, and to bringe a catalogue of the persons names, and their contribucions, fairelie written, to the end that it may bee fairelie engraven in the artillery yard what was the free gifte of everie corporacion.

1656, June 2.

m. 60.

Mayor.
Recorder,
Justices of
peace.

Orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas there is onelie the Maior and recorder justices of the peace of this cittie, and thereby the whole burden for distributinge of justice within the liberties thereof lyes wholie uppon the Maior, whereby his whole time is soe taken upp that the cittie is much prejudiced thereby, hee not haveinge time to acte any buisnes which is of concernement to the cittie; the said commons therefore prayed that a course might bee layde downe in this assemblie whereby foure of the aldermen

Roll xiii.
m. 60.

of this cittie might bee made choise of to bee justices of the peace for one whole yeare, who are to bee presented to his highness the lord protectors councill for their approbation, to the end they may bee sworne accordinglie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that Alderman Richard Tighe, Alderman Daniel Hutchinson, Alderman John Preston, and Alderman George Gilbert bee the men chosen by this assemblie whose names are to bee presented to this councill by the Maior and Sheriffes of this cittie, as is above desired, for their approbacion, and to bee putt in commission of the peace within the said cittie and liberties thereof, and to bee sworne justices of the peace for the distributeinge of justice within the said cittie and liberties thereof as aforesaid, for this present ensueing yeare.

1656.
Lord
Protector's
council.

Tighe.
Huchin-
son.
Preston.
Gilbert.

[2.] Whereas William Harvie and John Deacon petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweinge that they have beene (by direction of the right worshipfull the Maior of this cittie) imploied to have the pavements of Saint Thomastreete, Saint Jamestreete and Fishamblestreete mended, which worke hath cost the somme of nineteene pounds and five shillings, sterling, as the particulers thereof unto the said petition annexed doe specifie; and forasmuch as by the certificatt of the masters of the cittie workes, thereunto alsoe annexed, it doth appeare that the same is a just and true accompte thereof, and that the said monneyes are not as yett satisfied, the said petitioners therefore humbly desired this present assemblie to lay downe a course whereby the said nineteene pounds and five shillings, sterling, might bee speedily paid out of the cittie treasurie, or by such other wayes as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the Maior of this cittie doe give a warrant to the threasurer of this cittie for the payment of the above somme of nineteene pounds and five shillings, sterling, unto the petitioners.

Harvie.
Deacon.

Pavements.
Streets.

Cost of
work.

Certificatt.

Account.

City
Treasury.

Mayor's
warrant.

1656.

1656. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Roll xiii.
no. 61Silva
Salvatoris.
Barry.
Possession.Seal of
city.

Buildings.

Donellan.

Arrears.

Newgate.

Nathaniel
Fowkes.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, beseechinge that a course might bee laide downe in the same that such parte of Silva Salvatoris as is not alreadie demised to Mr. Richard Barry, alderman, deceased, might bee forthwith taken into possession of this cittie, and that some persons might bee nominated by the said assemblie who might bee by the same authorised to enter thereon for the use of the cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, alderman, Mr. William Clifte, alderman, Mr. Thomas Clearke, Mr. John Forrest, Mr. Samuel Weston, Mr. John Price and Mr. Oliver Walshe, may bee imploied by authoritie under the seale of this cittie to enter on the possession of the said parte of Silva Salvatoris as is not alreadie demised to Mr. Richard Barry aforsaid for three yeares, and to have the one moytie of what profit shall bee made thereof dureinge the time aforsaid; the other moytie to bee paid unto the treasurer of this cittie; the said three yeares to beginn from May day next, and what buildings they shall doe dureinge the said time on the premises, they to bee allowed for the same out of the moytie accreweinge to the cittie dureinge the said three yeares.

[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that James Donellan,¹ esquire, and Sara, his wife (for divers reasons and motives sett forth in their petition to the said assemblie), shall bee and are (out of the respecte which the cittie hath to the petitioner, Mr. Justice Donellan) remitted all such arrears of rent as are due on them to this cittie for a wast peece of ground neere and without Newgate for all the times past, and untill Easter last.

[3.] Whereas Nathaniel Fowkes petitioned unto the

¹ Justice of the Common Pleas, Ireland.

Roll xiii.
m. 61.

said assemblee, sheweinge that for many yeares past the 1656.
benefitts and profitts of the rectorie of Rathmacknee in Rathmack-
the countie of Wexford, belonginge to this cittie, have Wexford.
beene and as yett are deteined and made use of by the
commonwealth, soe that for not lookeinge after the same
it may probablie bee lost, which will tend to the greate
prejudice and hurte of this cittie; and therefore the said
Nathaniel Fowkes praied this assemblee to graunte him
a lease of the said rectorie for sixtie and one yeares at Lease of
some small rent, and hee would at his owne chardge sue rectory.
for to regaine it out of the commonwealthes possession: -
it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie,
that the said Nathaniel Fowkes request is allowed for
the first readeinge, and in the mean time hee is Reading.
authorised to receave the tiethes of the forsaid rectorie Tithes.
for this yeare, and to accompte for the moytie thereof
to the cittie, and shall have preference thereunto for
the future, and the said authoritie to bee under the
cittie seale.

[4.] Whereas John Desminiers, Matthew French and Desminiers.
John Eastwoode preferred petition unto the said assem- French.
blie, sheweinge that the cittie was pleased to accept of Eastwoode.
surrender of a parcell of ground commonlie called the
Exchange, uppon the Woodkey, on condicion that Mr. Exchange.
John Price paid the costs expended in the suite and Wood-quay.
the rent in arreare to the cittie, as by an order dated
the 18th of January 1655[-6] may appeare, sithence
which time the said Mr. John Price hath paid the said John Price.
costs and rent in arreare, and therefore they humblie
praied this assemblee to accept of the said surrender, Surrender.
and to graunt the same for sixtie and one yeares unto
the said John Price at such yearelie rent as should bee Rent.
thought meete: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by
the said authority (that in regarde the said John Price
hath paid the arrears and the costs in the said petition Arrears.
mentioned), that the said John Price shall have a lease Costs.
of the premises for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares,

1656.

to cominnence from the feast of Easter last, payinge the rent reserved on the former agreement with the petitioners, and performeing the covenants, condicions and reservacions which the petitioners were bound to performe, with such other clauses, condicions and reservacions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Roll xiii.
m. 61.Custom of
city.Riding of
franchises,
1653.

Allowances.

[5.] Whereas alsoe John Chamberlaine, servant to Mr. Maior, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that by the laudable and good custome of this cittie, the fraunches thereof have beene usuallie ridden¹ and an allowance given to the Maior in whose yeare the same were ridden; and forasmuch as the now Maior did ride the said fraunches in September, 1653, and had noe allowance given him for the same, and for that the said fraunches are to bee ridden the next September by the said Maior, the petitioner therefore humblic prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby the said Mr. Maior shall have as well the seaven pounds and tenn shillings for the last time due unto him, as the somme of seaven pounds and tenn shillings more due for the rideinge thereof this next September, accordinge the auncient custome; to bec paid by the threasurer on the Maiors warrant.

Partington,
goldsmith

Plate.

Gilt plates.

Sword.

[6.] Whereas likewise John Partington, goldsmith, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there was certaine plate delivered formerlie for the creditt and by the appointment of the cittie, and alsoe severall gilte plates, and other necessarie accoutraments fixed to the sworde, amountinge in the whole to fiftie and seaven pounds and three shillings, which should have beene satisfied to him out of the first monney that should come into the treasurie; and whereas tenn pounds is onely paid towards satisfaction of the said debt, the petitioner therefore humblic praied this assemblie to order him some speedie satisfaction of the remaynder

m. 61 b.

¹ In margin: "Riding the fringes."

Roll xiii.
m. 61 b.

of the said debt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, 1656.
by the forsaid authoritie, that the somme of fortie
seaven pounds bee paied to the said John Partington
out of such monneyes as Mr. John Knott and Mr. Raph
Vizard are to pay for the fines of theire places of
Sheriffes, and that the treasurer shall give an acquit-
tance to Mr. Daniel Bellingham in parte of the above Bellingham.
fiftie seaven pounds, and the remaine to bee paied by
the treasurer of the cittie of Dublin for the time beinge.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that Arthur Harvie shall have a lease for Arthur
tearme of fourscore and one yeares, to commence at Harvie.
Easter last, uppon a wast plott of ground scituatt at
Lazie Hill, on the north side of the common highway Lazie Hill.
there, extendinge to the river and oppositt to certaine River.
buildeings and tenementes of the petitioner there on the
south side of the said common highway, which wast Common
plott of ground containeth in length fourteene pearches, highway.
or thereaboutes, downe towards the forsaid river, leave-
inge two complete pearches in breadth for the highway
uppon the front of the forsaid buildeings now upp, at
the yearelie rent of three pounds and five shillings,
sterling, and a couple of fatt capons or five shillings, Capons.
sterling, in monney in lieue thereof, to the Maior of the
cittie for the time beinge every Christmas yearlie, with Christmas.
such clauses, covenants and condicions to bee incerted
in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[8.] That Alson Ball, the relicte of Edward Ball, late Ball.
of this cittie, alderman, deceased, shall (in regard of her
povertie expressed by her peticion to the said assemblie) Poverty.
have thirtie shillings, sterling, quarterlie, to beginn from
Midsommer last, to bee paied unto her by the treasurer
on the Maiors warrant dureinge her life, and to have the
present benevolence of this assemblie, and likewise to Benevo-
have the allowance of almes of the first widdow [of lence.
the six poor widdowes of the cittie] that dies, as now Widow.
they have.

1656.
Sheriffs.

[9.] Mr. Henry Ballard, apothecarie, is chosen to bee one of the Sheriffes of the cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare, in steede and place of Mr. John Kuott, late chosen to bee Sheriffe, and who hath fined for the same.

Roll xiii.
m. 61 b.

Fine.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Elizabeth Cooke, Elizabeth Thickbroome, spinsters; Nicholas Seward, goldsmith, Robert Fennymore, baker. By special grace, and on fine of a piece of plate paid to the city treasurer:

m. 62.

Plate.

Goldsmith.

Theophilus Sandford, goldsmith, James Hill, tailor. By special grace and on fines: Richard Toopler, eook, Richard Warren, shoemaker, William Sterlinge, tanner, Stephen Palmer, vintner, Richard Lane, Robert Woolston, joiners, Thomas Coates, helier, James Sinckler, weaver, John Hole butcher, Thomas Weston, Jeremy Winstanley, tailors, Robert Mawe, knife-eutler. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: John Sweetman, merchant, Richard Clearke, "chirurgion," Frederick Christian, clothier, Richard Roe, Thomas Fullam, shoemakers, Robert Brooxby, carpenter. As daughters of freemen: Mary Dromgoole, Margaret Hatton, spinsters. In right of wife: John Brillaghan, butcher.

Daughters
of freemen.

1656. August 4.

m. 60.

Agent for
city.William
Sommers.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, desiring that a course might bee laide downe therein for a fitt person to bee nominated and sett downe by the said assemblie who might bee appointed agent to agitatt and sollicitt the affaires of this cittie in England and Ireland as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the assemblie aforsaid, that William Sommers, esquire, shalbee imployed as agent for followeing the occasions of this cittie both in England and Ireland, and that hee shall have such satisfaction for his paines as the Maior, the Sheriffes and the threasurer, Alderman Smith, Alderman Bennett, Alder-

Roll xiii.
m. 60.

man Bladen, Alderman Huchinson, and any eight of the commons to be named by them or the major part of them shalbee thought fitt, and that the said parties, by the advice of Mr. Recorder, shall drawe such instructions as shalbee requisitt for such matters as hee shalbee instructed withall. The names of the forsaid eight commons are Mr. Thomas Clearke, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. Maynard Christian, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Hugh Price, Mr. George Surdevele, Mr. Owen Jones and Mr. Richard Bankes.

Instruc-
tions.

m. 60 b.

[2] Whereas Mr. John Chamberlaine, servant to Mr. Maior, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that on the election of his said master, Richard Tighe, esquire, now Maior of this cittie for this present yeare, the said Maior was graunted the somme of two hundred pounds, sterling, towards the defrayinge of his expences and disbursments in his office of Maioraltie this present yeare, but noe order entred for the same; the petitioner, therefore, humble prayed this assemblie to laie downe a course therein, whereby the threasurer of this cittie might bec ordered to pay the same unto the said Mr. Maior out of the treasure of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie (that whereas on the said Maiors election there was allowed unto the said Maior the somme of two hundred pounds), that the same shalbec paied to him by the threasurer on the Maiors warrant.

Richard
Tighe,
Mayor.

Expenses.

[3.] Whereas alsoe the said John Chamberlaine petitioned unto the forsaid assemblie, sheweinge that the scavenger of this cittie is (by his agreement made with the said cittie) to pay fiftie barrells of wheate and fiftie barrells of malt, which fiftie barrells of malte are not yett paied; and forasmuch as the now Maior hath taken much paines and care in the affaires and concernments of this cittie in his now Maioraltie, and that other Maiors have formerlie beene graunted the same, the petitioner therefore desired this assemblie to laie downe a course therein

Chamber-
laine.

Scavenger
of city.
Wheat.

Malt.

Mayor.

1656. whereby the said Mr. Maior might receave the same: Roll xiii.
m. 60 b.
 Grant. it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
 aforesaid, that the said Mr. Maior shalbee and is graunted
 the malte above mencioned towards the supportaion of
 his chardges of Maioraltie this yeare.

1656, August 22.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine
 the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie,
 desiringe that a course might bee laide downe therein,
 Act of 1654. whereby the monney ordered by an acte¹ of assemblie
 at Michaelmas, 1654, to bee raised on the severall
 Corpora- corporaions of this cittie for the agent to be sent into
 tions. England for the good of this eittie, might bee paied unto
 England. Mr. Daniel Bellingham, one of the Sheriffes of this eittie,
 Belling- for the use of the said agent : it is therefore ordered and
 ham. agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that
 the said monney bee levied as above is desired, and that
 Division of the said monney bee divided by the said corporaions,
 money. how much each eorporaeion shall pay towards the
 makeinge upp of the said monneyes by the Maior, the
 Sheriffs. Alderman Ridgley Hatfield, Alderman George
 Aldermen. Gilbert, Alderman John Cranwell, Mr. Riehards Phillipps,
 Mr. Nathaniel Fowlkes, and one more of everie eorpora-
 Nomina- tion to bee nominated by the commons, which commons
 tions. have nominated the master of everie eorporacion, or
 whom the said master shall thinke fitt to bee joyned to
 the above persons.

[2.] It is likewise, at the request of eertaine of the
 commons, ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie,
 that such persons as Mr. Maior and the Sheriffes shall
 Collection, thinke fitt shalbee nominated for collectinge of such
 City. monneyes on the severall inhabitants of this cittie as they
 Agent. shall contribute towards the imployment of an agent or
 England. agents into England for and coneerneinge the affaires

¹ See page 72.

Roll xiii.
m. 60 b.

and grievances of the Protestants of Ireland, and that ^{1656.} the treasurer of this cittie shall pay on the Maiors ^{Protest-} warrant two shillings and sixe pence out of everie pound that is due for the fee fearme rentes of this cittie ^{Fee farm} towards the said agencie. ^{rents.}

m. 61 b.

1656, September 2.

Act and order :—Whereas John Chamberlaine, servant ^{Chamber-} to Mr. Maior, petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge ^{laine.} that the said Mr. Maior, in the affection hee beareth to ^{Mayor} this cittie, and for the preservacion of the honnor and dignitie thereof, hath beene at greate chardges and expence over and above the usuall allowance incident to his place, and uppon all occasions offred cheerefullie, and willinglie manifested his best endeavours in the behalfe of this cittie, and beinge now to repaire for England to ^{England.} the parliament there as burgesse for this cittie, for which ^{Parliament.} hee hath noe allowance towards his expences, which of ^{Burgess for} necessitie will followe his residence there dureinge the ^{Dublin.} said parliament; in consideracion whereof the petitioner humblie desired this assemblie to lay downe a course therein, whereby the premises beinge taken into consideracion such allowance might bee given unto the ^{Allowance.} said Maior as wilbee suitable to the dignitie of the place wherein hee is to acte in the behalfe of the said cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, haveing taken into consideracion Mr Maior's present repairinge to the parliament of England in the behalfe of this cittie, and the chardges which will followe his attendance there in parliament, that the said ^{Attendance} Mr. Maior shall have an allowance of one hundred ^{in parlia-} pounds, sterling, in full of his expences dureinge his ^{ment.} residence there in parliament in the cittie affaires, and that the same shalbee paied out of the cittie treasurie.

m. 63.

1656. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor : Ridgley Hatfeild, esquire. Sheriffs: Richard ^{Mayor.} Phillippes and Henry Ballard. ^{Sheriffs.}

1656.	Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. William	Roll, xiii.
Treasurer.	Smith, alderman, is chosen treasurer of the cittie of	iii. 63.
	Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.	
Masters of works.	[2.] Mr. Daniel Bellingham and Mr. Richard Palfrey are chosen masters of eittie workes for the said yeare.	
	[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Alderman Bennett, Mr. Alderman Forster, Mr. Alderman Wakefield, Mr. Alderman Huchinson, Mr. Alderman Peter Wybrantes, Mr. Alderman Mylls, Mr. Alderman Cranwell, Mr. Alderman Cooke, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. Owen Jones, the master of the taylors, the master of the smithes, the master of the glovers, or any six of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, are chosen	
Auditors.	auditors of the said eittie for the said yeare.	
	[4.] Whereas eertaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas	
Silver voyder.	there is afaire lardge voyder ¹ of silver now to bee bought and had of Mr. Daniel Bellingham, which is and may bee usefull for the ereditt of the cittie to goe to and	
Sword.	alonge with the sworde, and whereas there is a peece of	
City plate.	old plate amonge the plate belonginge to the cittie, which	
Culme.	was the fine or gifte of Mr. Culme, deceased, whereon the arnes of the said Mr. Culme are fixed, with some other parcells of plate which are old, worne, or not usefull; the said commons therefore humblie prayed this	
Com- mittee.	assemblie to appointe and authorise a committee of such	
Purchase.	persons as should bee judged fittinge to buy the said voyder, and to pay for the same by the sale of such plate of the cittie as may bee spared, as aforesaid, or otherwayes as should bee thought meete: it is ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that	
Masters.	Mr. Maior, the threasurer, Mr. Alderman Huchinson, the Sheriffes, the master of the taylors, the master of the smithes, the master of the bakers, or any foure of them	

¹ A tray or basket used for removal of the remains of a repast.

Roll xiii.
m. 63.

(where of the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee two), 1656.
are appointed a committee to doe accordinge the effecte
of the forsaide petition.

[5.] Whereas Mr. John Preston, alderman, petitioned Preston.
unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that George Surdevele, Surdevele.
of this cittie, taylor, hath had a lease from this cittie, for Lease.
the said John Prestons use, of the mannour, towne and
lands of Baldoyle and the grange thereof, for tearme of Baldoyle.
Grange.
sixtie and one yeares, at the yearelie rent of one hundred
and fiftie pounds, sterling, which lease the said George
Surdevele assigned over unto the petitioner, and there-
fore the said John Preston desired this assemblie (for
certaine reasons sett forth in his said petition) to accept
of a surrender of the said lease in beinge, and to receave
the same in his owne name upon the surrendringe Surrender.
thereof, for tearme of ninetie nine years, with some
reasonable abatement of the forsaide yearelie rent: it is Abatement.
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that a surrender shalbee accepted of the forsaide
lease of the premises, and that the said John Preston
shall have a lease of the premises for tearme of ninetie
nine yeares in his owne name upon the same rent and
reservacions as formerlie.

[6.] Whereas Sarah Thornton, daughter unto sir James Thornton.
Sir James
Carroll.
Carroll, knight, deceased, petitioned unto the said Lease.
assemblie, settinge forth that there was a lease graunted
by this cittie for two hundred yeares unto her brother,
James Carroll, deceased, of one thowsand acres, or soe
much of the strand as lay in the power of this cittie to Strand.
lett, at the yearelie rent of five pounds, sterling, as by the
said lease is more at lardge sett forth, and that accordinge
an order uppon a former petition by her preferred shee Petition.
hath produced the said lease; shee therefore humbly
desired this assemblie (for certaine reasons in her said
former petition mencioned) to remitt all such arreares of Arrears.
rent as are due on the premises, shee puttinge in good
securitie for the payment of the said rent for the future:

1656. it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie Roll xiii.
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aforesaid, that, the petitioner puttinge in good securitie
for the payment of the said rent for the time to come,
that all the forsaide arreares shalbee and are remitted
unto her for that shee is the daughter of sir James
Carroll, knight, an alderman, deceased.

[7.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
Fowkes. aforesaid, uppon the petition of Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor,
that a letter of attorney shalbee made unto the said
Nathaniel Fowkes, to obtaine the right and possession
Rathmack- which this cittie hath in the rectorie of Rathmacknee, in
nee, the countie of Wexford, together with the yearelie rent
Wexford. and arreares thereof, which are now detained from this
cittie.

[8.] That John Forrest, marchant, shall have a lease,
John Forrest. for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, uppon soe much of
the ground as lyeth in the backe parte of the now
dwellinge house of Henry Markham, esquire, scituatt on
Markham. the Hoggen Greene, and extendeth towards the river
Hoggen Green.
River. the said wall unto the side [of the] river aforesaid, at the
yearelie rent of seaven pounds and tenn shillings, sterling;
with such other clauses and condicions as Mr. Recorder
or such [other councill of the] cittie shall thinke fitt.

[9.] Whereas Mr. Daniel Bellingham preferred petition
Daniel Belling- [unto the forsaide assemblee], sheweinge that hee, for the
ham. credit and [by the appointment of this cittie, delivered]
severall peeces of plate and other necessarie [accoutrements
Plate. fixed to the] sworde, amountinge in the whole to the
City somme of fiftie seaven pounds and three shillings, of
sword. which hee onely received tenn pounds, sterling, and
was appointed by an acte of assemblee this present
Payment. yeare, 1656, to bee paid the somme of fortie seaven
pounds, remayne of the forsaide fiftie seven pounds,
out of the monneyes payable unto this cittie by Mr.

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m. 63 b.

[Knott] and Mr. Raph Vizard, which somme nor any 1656.
 parte thereof hee hath not receaved, nor [can he] receave
 the same without the order of this assemblie therein;
 and, for that parte of the said monneyes is alreadie
 receaved by the threasurer of this cittie, for which hee Treasurer.
 saith hee will accompte to this cittie, soe that the
 petitioner is like not to gett the said monneyes unlesse
 some speedie course bee layde downe in this assemblie
 for payment of the said fortie seaven pounds unto him,
 out of the first monneyes that shall come unto the
 treasurie; and, for that the monneyes paiaible by the
 said Mr. Vizard, is nott as yett paied in, the said Daniel
 Bellingham therefore prayed this assemblie to lay downe Petition.
 a course whereby hee might receave the said somme of
 monney due on the said Mr. Vizard, and the remaynder
 out of the first fines paiaible unto the treasurie of this
 cittie, with intrest for his said monney: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the Order.
 bond in the petition mencioned bee delivered upp to
 the petitioner by the threasurer, with an assignement
 uppon it, and the petitioner to give a receipt for the
 same, which is to bee allowed the threasurer uppon his
 accompte, and the remaynder of the monney due to the
 petitioner is to bee paied unto him out of the first fines, Fines.
 and noe monney is to bee paied out of the treasurie untill
 the petitioner bee satisfied.

[10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
 aforsaid, that John Pooley, trunckemaker, shall have the
 place of macebearer in this cittie which Patricke Genny, Mace-
bearer.
 late macebearer, deceased, held, together with the fees
 and perquisitts thereunto belonging, dureinge the
 pleasure of this cittie.

[11, 12.] Mr. Daniel Bellingham and Mr. John Desmi- Belling-
ham.
Desmi-
nieres.
 nieres are chosen to be aldermen.

m. 64.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on
 fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayor: John Pooley,
 trunckemaker. By special grace, and on fine of a piece of Admis-
sions to
franchise.

1656. plate paid to the city treasurer: Gabriel Briscoe, smith. Roll xiii.
 Plate. By special grace, and on fines: John Parnell, goldsmith, m. 64.
 Goldsmith. Stephen Carr, William Clearke, weavers, Mark Brooke, chandler, Robert Samwell, Henry Yates, smiths, George Wiltie, helier, Nicholas Walton, cooper, Henry Visard, sherman, Richard Cooper, glover. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: John Foxall, merchant, Henry Walker, barber-surgeon, William Linnegar, sherman, Patrick Lalor, weaver. As daughter of freeman: Anne Smith, spinster.

1656-7. 1656-7. Fourth Friday after 25th December, 1656. m. 65.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[I.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, Freemen, complaineinge that the freemen of this cittie for some yeares past have, and still doe, extreamelie suffer by the Intrusions. constant and continuall intrusions of severall persons of Sales, severall nations, who daily buy and sell by grose, and Markets, retayle as well out of marketts as in marketts, open Shops, shoppes and privatt houses, both the native and forraigne commodities brought into this cittie, without Privileges, any regard of the customes and priviledges of the said cittie, and without any inlibition or restraints given them, and therefore the said commons prayed this Prevention, assemblie to consulte of and conclude on some prevalent meanes for the future prevencion of such practices: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that Mr. Maior and the Sheriffes, takeinge into their assistance such of the aldermen as they shall thinke fitt, with the master of the carpenters, master of the smithes, master of the bakers, master of the shoemakers, or any foure of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, bee appointed Committee, a committee to countenance and advise the severall Corporations, corporacions of this cittie upon their just complaints concerneinge the grievances in the said petition mencioned.

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[2.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie ^{1656-7.}
aforsaid, that George Stoughton, servant unto Mr. Stoughton.
Maior (for the reasons sett forth in his petition to this Mayor.
assemblie), shall have for the use of his said master this
present yeare, the quantitie of fiftie barrells of beare,
malte reserved by this cittie, to be paied by William Malt.
Harvy, scavenger of the same, to the threasurer of the
cittie, for the use thereof, towards the defrayinge of
the chardges of his Maioralitie this yeare. Mayoralty.

[3.] Whereas John Exham, esquire, preferred petition John
unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that he holdeth by Exham.
lease from this cittie a ruinous messuage or tenement in
Saint Thomastreete, Dublin, at the yearelie rent of three Saint
pounds, of which lease there are foure and fortie yeares Thomas'
as yett unexpired, but the said tenement by meanes of street.
the rebellion is become soe ruinous, that it will sodainelie Rebellion.
fall if not repaired; and forasmuch as hee is willinge to
builde the same of the new (if uppon surrender of his Building
interest hee may have a lease thereof for sixtie one yeares Lease.
at the said former rent), and therefore hee humble
prayed this assemblie to graunt him a lease for tearme
of sixtie and one yeares uppon the premises at the forsaid
yearelie rent: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that a surrender shalbee accepted of,
and a new lease graunted at the forsaid yearelie rent,
for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, uppon the
premises; provided that the petitioner doe enter into
bond to bestowe two hundred pounds, sterling, in Expendi-
buildeinge on the premises within three yeares next ture.
after the commencement of this graunt, or else the said
graunt to bee voide, if the petitioner doe not enter into
bond accordinge unto the threasurer of this cittie
within one month now next ensueinge.

[4.] Whereas the master and wardens of the cor- Corpora-
poracion of glovers petitioned unto the said assemblie, tion of
sheweinge that they doe hold by demise from this cittie glovers.
the tower over Saint James gate, at the yearelie rent of Saint
James'
gate.

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twentie shillings, sterling; that the said tower is much demolished and ruined of late yeares, and noe benefitt or use made thereof (for many yeares past) by them, whereby certaine arreares of the said yearelie rent are due and unsatisfied; and forasmuch as theire lease thereof is neere expired, they therefore humblie desired this assemblie to remitt them the said arreares, and to graunt them a new lease of the premises for tearme of three score and one yeares at the forsaid yearelie rent: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioners shall have a new lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares uppon the premises, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, and shall have the forsaid arreares remitted unto them, they engageinge to repaire the premises sufficientlie.

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Lease.

Ralph
Allen.Suits and
causes.City
solicitor.

Auditors.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Ralph Allen, solicitor for this cittie, shalbee allowed fortie pounds for his sollicitacion for this cittie, in the severall suites and causes as the cittie was and is concerned in, until the five and twentieth day of March next, and afterwards hee is to bee allowed foure pounds a quarter for beinge the citties solicitor duringe the citties pleasure. The said fortie pounds is to bee allowed him over and above the twentie pounds for which hee hath alreadie a warrant; and for what disbursments hee hath made for this cittie, the cittie auditors are to audite his accompte, and Mr. Maior is to give his warrant to the threasurer for the payment of what the auditors shall finde due to him.

Butter lane.

[6.] Grant of lease, for sixty-one years, to Thomas Haard and Charles Andrewes, merchants: "a wast plott of ground in the little Butter lane, neere Saint Stephen-streete;" annual rent: four pounds and ten shillings, sterling.

Oliver
Walsh,
marshal.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that Oliver Walsh, marshall of this cittie, shall have a lease for tearme of threescore and one yeares uppon a

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parcell of ground or land in Kildrought, in the countie ^{1656-7.}
of Kildare, contayneinge fifteene acres and two stanges, ^{Kildrought,}
the particular acres whereof are meared and bounded ^{Kildare}
as followeth, videlicet, the Ash, three [acres] adjoyneinge ^{The Ash.}
on the east to the church land of Kildrought [and within
sir John] Dongans land on the north; two acres called ^{Dongan.}
the Maior of Dublin [his land] adjoyneinge on the south
to the commons of Kildrought, and on the west to one ^{Commons.}
Wesleyes land; three stanges adjoyneinge to the said ^{Wesley.}
Wesleyes land, called the Bowe; one acre adjoyneinge
on the said land, called the Bowe; one acre called the ^{Bowe.}
high bush land; two acres more called the high bush ^{High bush.}
land, meareinge to sir John Dongans land on the north,
and Wesleyes land on the south; one acre and a stange ^{Wesley.}
more, neere the high bush, meared and bounded to sir
John Dongans land on the south, and Wesleyes land on
the north; one stange more neere the high bush meared
as aforsaid; more, halfe an acre neere the highway, called ^{Highway.}
Boher ne Smiloge; three stanges more neere the towne
of Kildrought, and adjoyneinge to the church of Kil- ^{Church.}
drought; halfe an acre more adjoyneinge to the towne of
Kildrought; halfe an acre more betweene the towne of
Kildrought and the church of Kildrought aforsaid; two
acres more adjoyneinge to the greene of Kildrought, at ^{Green.}
the west end of the towne; one small crofte adjoyneinge
to the three stanges that leadeth to the highway of the
towne of Kildrought; and one other small crofte,
bounded as aforsaid; at the yearelie rent of five pounds,
sterling, to bee paid to the treasurer of this cittie, and
a cowple of fatt capons yearelie to the Maior of this cittie ^{Capons.}
for the time beinge; with such other clauses and con- ^{Mayor.}
dicions to be incerted in his said lease as Mr. Recorder
shall thinke fitt.

[8.] That Richard Heyden, vintner, shall have a lease ^{Heyden.}
for tearme of sixtie and one yeares, uppon a house in
Oxmanton, now in the possession of Michael Cowdell, ^{Oxmanton.}
blacksmith, and latelie in the holdeinge of one Thomas

- 1656-7. Rony, adjoyneinge, within one house to Mr. John Exhams Roll. xiii. m. 65 b.
house in Oxmanton, aforsaid, contayneinge seaventeene
foote in the fronte thereof to the street, and fiftie foure
foote backwards from the streete towards the east, at the
yearlie rent of sixe pounds, sterling, to bee paied to the
Capons. the treasurer of this cittie, and a cowple of fatt capons
Mayor. yearlie to the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge,
and alsoe payinge everie one and twentie yeares of the
said tearme a double rent; with such other clauses,
covenants and condicions to bee incerted in his said lease,
as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
- Johnson. [9.] That Gilbert Johnson, shoemaker, shall have a
lease for a tearme of sixtie and one yeares uppon a lane
Saint James' cross, Bowe bridge. on the right hand of the highway leadinge from Saint
James Crosse to Bowe bridge, which lane leadeth to
the Watereourse comeinge from Bowe bridge to
the . . mills, and containeth in length ninescore
yards, and in breadth in the middle of the said lane sixe
yards, and in breadth in the front thereof fifteene yards;
at the yearlie rent of thirtie and one shillings, sterling,
with such other clauses and eondicions to bee incerted in
his said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
- Strand. Wool-winder. Mace-bearer. [10.] That James Stuard, woolewinder, shall have the
place of macebearer in this cittie, which Patricke Malone
now holdeth dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, in
regard the said Patricke Malone is aged and infirme in
body, not able to undergoe the exeecutinge of the said
place, and withall hath surrendered upp the same.
- Admissions to franchise. Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on m. 64, 64 b.
fine of a pair of gloves to the Maior: Adam Darly, tailor,
James Steward, glöver, John Evans, cook. By special
graces, “and for the fine that hee doe free the cittie of all
elaymes and demaunds hee hath against the said cittie
for worke done by him to this cittie”: Richard Carney,
Richard Carney, limner. “limner.” By special grace, and on fines: Derrieke
Westenra, merchant, Nathaniel Franlie, Thomas Graham,
Barber-surgeons. Henry Salisbury, barber-surgeons, Henry Hayward,

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Henry Martin, tailors, John Greenfell, tanner, William 1656-7.
Herborne, William Flatman, John Smith, Ralph Fisher,
butchers, Philip Cooley, glover, John Stubbes, smith,
Thomas Johnson, weaver, John Emson, joiner, Edward
Brimingham, carpenter, Edward Hicklin, baker, Samuel
Rathby, clothworker. Admitted on having served
apprenticeships: John Cannon, merchant, William
Marser, glover, Joseph Bird, cutler, Richard Gustard,
butcher, John Blake, weaver.

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1657. Second Friday after Easter.¹

1657.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned to this assemblie, sheweinge
that by the auncient and laudable customes and usages of
this cittie, the office of Maioraltie in this cittie was settled
in the course of succession, which of late hath beene de-
clined and made elective, since which time experience hath
manifested that that course is not soe convenient for the
good of this cittie as that of succession; and therefore
the said commons prayed this assemblie to lay downe a
course therein whereby the said office of Maioraltie may
hereafter runne in succession as formerlie: upon con-
sideracion of which petition, and on debate of the
contents thereof, it is ordered, enacted and declared by
the authoritie of this present assemblie, for the avoyde-
inge of such differences and inconveniences as doe and
may arise on the election of the Maior, that everie
alderman who hath not as yett borne the office of Maior-
altie of this cittie in his owne right shall keepe his turne
for beareinge the office and chardge of Maioraltie of this
cittie accordinge to his aunciencie successivelie, and that
all lawes, ordinances, establishments and orders hereto-
fore made or graunted to the contrarie, are by the said
authoritie revoked, repealed, annulled and made voide.

Ancient
custom.

Mayoralty.

Alteration.

Succession.

Order.

Election.

Aldermen

Office.

Revocation

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred

¹ Easter-day, 29th March, 1657.

1657. petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the Roll xiii.
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 Cistern. cesterne at the pillorie, haveinge for a longe time past
 Pillory. beene dry, yeelds noe supplie of water unto the
 Water. inhabitants, neither in case of fire can any water there
 Fire. bee had to helpe at such a needfull time, and doe alsoe
 Stone work. humblie conceave that the greate stone worke that
 surrounds the said cesterne hath neither use nor
 ornament in it, but, on the contrarie, is a very greate
 incumbrance and annoyance unto the cittie, and especiallie
 Market unto the foure streets [next] it, for that on markett daye
 days. and other times coaches and carts have a very trouble-
 some and incumbred passadge by it, and therefore the
 said commons humblie prayed that an order might bee
 Removal. layde downe in this assemblie for the removeinge of the
 said stone worke, and that insteede thereof (whosoever
 wilbee at the chardge of removeinge the same) shall there
 Pump. place a good substantiall lardge pumpe, which may
 supplie the inhabitants with water, and also may bee of
 Pillory. greate use in case of fire, and that insteede of the pillorie
 that now stands on the said stone worke, there may bee
 a handsome pillorie sett over the said pumpe, or else a
 Wheels. pillorie that may runne on wheelles, that may bee removed
 from place to place as occasion shall require, as is usuall
 London. in the cittie of London and other greate and well
 governed citties: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by
 the authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Maior, with the assistance
 of Mr. Recorder and the Sheriffes, bee authorised to
 contracte with such of the inhabitants [neer] to the
 pillory as shall desire to have the same altred, and what
 shalbee agreed uppon betweene them is hereby authorised
 to bee putt in execucion.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons
 petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hereto-
 fore and at all grand assemblies persons were and are
 admitted to the freedome of this cittie, intendinge alwaies
 that they shall not intrude on any corporacion, onelie
 followeinge the trade of such corporacion as they are

Freedom
of city.

Roll xiii.
m. 67. admitted unto, yett notwithstanding it is daylie taken 1657.
notice of, and it is the generall complaint of most cor-
poracions that they doe intrude on others contrarie to Intrusions.
the said intent, and such freemen entringe into recognis-
ances not to intrude cannott (as they are informed) by
such recognisances bee prosecuted accordinge to lawe;
and therefore the said commons prayed the said assemblie
to order that noe person shalbee admitted free, but
condicionally that hee shall enter into a bond of one Condition.
Bond.
hundred pounds not to intrude uppon any corporacion: Corpora-
tions.
it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid
authoritie, that the petitioners request bee graunted as is
desired, that from henceforth bonds bee taken in such
manner as shalbee advised by Mr. Recorder.

[4.] Whereas Francis Gregorie, servant to Mr. Henry
Ballardt, one of the Sheriffes of this cittie of Dublin, Ballardt.
did petition unto this said assemblie, sheweinge that
there is due unto his said master the somme of eightie
pounds, sterling, for a banquet which hee furnished Banquet.
this cittie with, on the freedome of the right honourable
the lord Henry Cromwell unto this cittie, and for which Henry
Cromwell.
hitherto hee hath received noe payment, although hee
hath had the cittie engaged for payment thereof; and Payment.
therefore the petitioner humblie praied this assemblie
to lay downe a course whereby the said monneyes
might bee satisfied out of the treasurie of this cittie:
it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid
authoritie, that Mr. Maior doe give a warrant unto the
threasurer for payment of what is due as aforesaid.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that Elinor Bagott, widdow (for certaine Elinor
Baggot.
reasons mencioned in her petition to this assemblie),
shalbee discharged of all the arreares of rent due on her
out of a tenement or house adjoyneinge unto Newgate Newgate.
untill Michaelmas next; provided that shee doe produce
her title therein to the threasurer of the cittie, that it
may appeare what intrest shee hath in it.

1657.
Dobbs.
Mace-
bearer.

[6.] That Anthony Dobbs shall have the place and office of Macebearer in this cittie which John Pooley, Macebearer, late deceased, enjoyed, with all the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of the cittie. Roll. xiii.
m. 67.

Thomas
Water-
house.

[7.] Thomas Waterhouse, alderman, is chosen Maior of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare, and shall have two hundred pounds, sterling, to be paid by the threasurer of this cittie by fiftie pounds, sterling, a quarter, on the Maiors warrant, towards the chardges of the supportacion of his Maioraltie that yeare.

Mayoralty.

Hughes.

[8.] Mr. John Forrest and Mr. Robert Hughes are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the same yeare.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Gold-
smiths.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine m. 66. of a pair of gloves to the Maior: Anthony Dobbs, merchant, George Lambert, goldsmith. By special grace, and on fines: Richard Lord, goldsmith, Thomas Knowles, cooper, Robert Hill, Henry Clifte, bakers, Bryen Aieres, bricklayer. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: George Stoughton, Robert Shiphthorpe, Walter Hide, merchants, Edward Surdevele, Nicholas Surdevele, tailors. As children of freemen: John Hesketh, weaver, Anne Alexander, spinster, William Ellis, blacksmith.

1657, June 12.

Suit.

Barry.

Meredith.

Pill.
Mary's
Abbey.

Expense.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine m. 67 b. of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, shewinge that there hath beene a longe and tedious suite betweene this cittie and Sir James Barry, Sir Robert Meredith, Alderman Charles Forster and others, for certaine arreares of rent due on them to this cittie for the land called the Pill, neere St. Mary Abbey, which suite hath beene very expensive to this cittie and yett one conclusion thereof, and will in all likelyhoode bee more expensive and tedious if some expedient bee not found out by this grave assemblie for prevencion thereof; and,

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to the end there may bee a period sett thereunto to 1657.
 avoided suite of lawe and expences, the said commons
 therefore humbly desired that a course might bee layde
 downe in this assemblie whereby a committee might Committee.
 bee appointed who may bee impowered to treat with
 the said parties about the said arreares, and compound Composition.
 with them therein, to the end the cittie may bee putt to
 noe further expences, and that the said arreares may bee
 in some moderatt course satisfied: it is therefore ordered
 and agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie,
 for the reasons in the said petition mencioned, that the
 Maior, the treasurer, Mr. Sheriffe Phillipps, and any
 other two of the commons, to bee named by themselves, or
 any three of them, whereof the Maior to be one, are
 authorised to treat, compound and conclude with the
 said persons sued by this cittie, and what they shall
 agree and conclude uppon is hereby allowed and ratified

[2.] Whereas alsoe William Harvey petitioned unto William Harvey.
 the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee, uppon his severall Toll.
 petitions unto this cittie concerneing the toll due to him
 from John Smith, of Dromconragh, it was graunted by an Dromconragh.
 acte of the assemblie that the said John Smith should bee
 sued in the petitioners name at the costes and chardges
 of the cittie; that accordinglie the said suite hath
 beene commenced against the said John Smith, and the
 witnesses, that is to say, Thomas Clearke and Tobyas Clearke.
 Cramer, who had given under their hands that they Cramer.
 would testifie uppon oath the said John Smith's contracte
 with the petitioner, yett they did not testifie uppon oath
 what they certified under their hands, whereuppon the
 petitioner was constrained to suffer a dismissee; that
 the said John Smith doth not onely threaten to take
 the petitioners horses and carts for the costs of Costs of court.
 courte, but alsoe threatens his servants, and hath
 through malice preferred two severall indictments
 against one of the petitioners servants for demaundinge
 or takeinge the said toll, whereuppon the petitioner

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hath beene enforced to withdrawe his servants from the ports, to his greate prejudice, and therefore hee humble prayed this assemblie to graunt an order that the thesaurer might satisfie and pay the said costs of courte and indempnific the petitioner against the said John Smith, and to settle some speedie course what hee shall doe to take the said toll for the future. It is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the Maior doe give warrant to the thesaurer for payment of the costs above mencioned out of the cittie revenew, for that it hath beene formerly enacted that the said suite should be prosecuted at the cittie chardge, as by the coppie of the said acte of assemblie unto the said petition annexed appeareth.

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m. 67 b.

1657. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

m. 68.

English
tongue.Irish
language
and habit.

Council.

Swearing

Plague.

Judgments.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas by the lawes all persons of this land ought to speake and use the English tongue and habitt, contrarie whereunto, and in open contempte whereof, there is Irish commonlie and usuallie spoken, and the Irish habitt worne not onelie in the streetes, and by such as live in the countrie and come to this cittie on market dayes, but alsoe by and in severall families in this cittie, to the great discontentment of the right honorable his highness councill for the affaires of Ireland, and the scandalizinge of the inhabitants and magistratts of the cittie, and also sheweinge that there is very much of sweareinge, curseinge and blasphemie used and practised (as in the English tongue too much soe alsoe in the Irish tongue), which, as it is a breach of the good lawes of the land, soe it is a high provokeinge of God which may justlie cause the plague and other judgments to sease uppon this cittie; and therefore the said commons humbly prayed this assemblie to take the premises into their serious and pious consideracion, and

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m. 63.

to lay downe some rules in the same for the redresse of the said evils, such as should bee thought meete and fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, on consideracion had of the said petition, that the aldermen of the severall wardes in this cittie doe once everie month, or oftener, call together their deputie aldermen and the constables of their wardes, to reade and consider of all lawes and ordinances which are most materiall against the thinges complained of in the said petition, and to putt the same and other lawes against Sabath breakeinge and other crimes in effectuall execucion . . . [for their better guidance] herein. It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that Mr. Maior doe forthwith give order for keepinge such lawes as by Mr. Recorder shalbee thought necessarie, and to cause copies of them to bee given to their respective aldermen, deputie aldermen and constables aforesaid, and that hee doe give warrant to the treasurer [for the payinge] of such monneyes as shalbee necessarie for the searchinge for and [writeinge] of the said lawes.

1657.
Rules.

Aldermen.

Sabbath.

Laws.

Copies.

Search.

[2.] Whercas George Stoughton, servant to Mr. Maior, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that uppon Thursday, the ninth daie of this instant July, 1657, when his highness the lord protector was proclaimed in the cittie, his said master, for the better credit and repute of the cittizens, as alsoe for the more honorable solemnizeinge of the said day, provided a noise of drummes and trumpetts, as alsoe two hogshades of French wine, which were hunge upp and spent in publike, and other chardges necessarilie incumbent, which amount in the whole at least unto fortie pounds, sterling, and therefore the petitioner humbly prayed (that in regard his said master was at the forsaid chardge and expence for the use and credit of the cittie) that a course [might bee] laide downe in this assemblie whereby his said master might receave and bee paid backe his forsaid disbursments

Stoughton.

Proclamation,
Lord
protector.

Drums.

Trumpets.
French
wine.

Cost.

Payment.

1657. and expences: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the ^{Roll xiii.} forsaid authoritie, that the treasurer of this cittie doe pay ^{m. 68.} unto the petitioner, for the use of his said master, the forsaid summe of fortie pounds, sterling, in consideraicon [as] abovesaid.
- Daniel Wybrants. [3.] Whereas Mr. Daniel Wybrants, alderman, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee standeth possessed of three small pareells of wast ground, seituatt in Skippers lane, within the eittie of Dublin, belonginge to this cittie, one pareell whereof hath beene latelie demised by this cittie to himselfe at tenn shillings, [sterling, per annum, another] pareell thereof latelie in the possession of Humphry Barry, gentleman, demised by this cittie at twentie sixe shillings and eight pence, sterling, per annum, and the third parcell thereof latelie alsoe demised unto Thomas Cooper, vintner, at twentie seaven shillings, sterling, per annum, the which . . . alleged, and espeeciallie the forsaid rent of twentie seaven shillings, sterling, it beinge more than that pareell of ground is worth; and forasmuch as the petieioner is desirous to improve and builde on the said three pareells of wast ground, and is willing to surrender upp unto this cittie all the said intrests therein, and to have a new graunt thereof, hee therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to take the said surrender and [grant him a lease on] the said three parcells [of ground] for [nine]tie nine [years . . . last meneioned parcell . . . which was demised to Mr. Cooper . . . value] thereof, nor hath paid any rent for the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the petieioner shall have a lease for the tearme of [ninetie nine] yeares uppon the said three parcells of wast ground, at three [pounds, sterling, a yeare], hee bestoweinge two hundred pounds, sterling, in buildinge thereon, and surrendringe the severall leases [formerlie made thereof . . . arreares of rent . . . the new] lease to begin at Easter [next] . . .
- Skippers lane.
- Barry.
- Cooper.
- Value.
- Surrender.
- Waste ground.
- Building.

Roll xiii.
m. 63.

m. 63 b.

[4.] Whereas alsoe William Dixon, esquire, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee by vertue of a demise from this cittie, standeth possessed of a house and backside scituate in Hangman lane in Oxmanton . . . for tearme of yeares, whereof . . . [are yet to runn] . . . and out of repaire; he therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt him a new lease thereof for tearme of ninetie nine yeares, hee surrendringe his present lease thereof, and paying thereout five shillings encrease of rent yearelie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the petitioner shall have a lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares on the premises, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, hee surrendringe [his] forsaide. present lease made by the cittie.

1657.
William
Dixon.

Hangman
lane.
Oxmanton.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaide authoritie, that Arthur Annesley, esquire, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninetie yeares uppon that parte of the Strande unto the lowe water marke which abutteth and inereeth unto severall houses and gardens belonginge to him, scituatt on the Colledge Greene, adjoyneinge to the seaside there, contayneinge from east to west two hundred and two foote and a halfe, or thereabouts, and from south to north, from his owne garden wall unto the forsaide lowe water marke, two hundred, twentie and two foote, or thereabouts, beinge equall and soe farre into the Strande as sir John Temple, knight, his houldeinge there extendeth, at the yearelie rent of fortie shillings, sterling.

Arthur
Annesley.

Strand.

College
green.

Sir John
Temple.

[6.] Whereas William Kennedy, swordbearer, preferred petition unto this said assemblie, sheweinge that there is justlie due unto him on this cittie the summe of fortie and five pounds, sterling, in old arreares, for his salarie, and in regard hee hath had expectacion hitherto to have receaved his said arreares out of the treasurie of this cittie, and hath altogether beene frustrated of his said expectacions, the petitioner therefore humbly desired

Kennedy,
sword-
bearer.

1657. that this assemblie would bee pleased to confirme unto him (untill the said arreares shalbee paied) the somme of tenn pounds, sterling, yearelie, which is paiable by the clearke of the Tholsell unto the treasurer of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the Maior, threasurer and Sheriffes of this cittie are to examine what is due unto the petitioner, and that the petitioner is to receave from the clearke of the Tholsell the somme of tenn pounds, sterling, a yeare untill the petitioners due debt bee fullie satisfied, and the treasurer of the cittie is required to give receiptes to the clearke of the Tholsell, and to take receiptes of the petitioner for the same, and to bringe it into accompte.

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m. 68 b.

Elinor
Jepson.

Sutter lane.
Marshalsea.
Warbrough
street.

St. John's
church.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that Elinor Jepson, widdow (for certaine reasons sett forth in her petition to this assemblie), shalbee abated two third partes of what arreares of rent are justlie due to this cittie on her for a parcell of Sutter lane, whereon parte of the late marshalsise of the Foure Courts in Saint Warbrough streete is builte, provided that shee make payment thereof by Michaelmas next.

[8.] That John Sisson, butcher, tennant to this cittie of a plott of ground neere Saint Johns church, shall (in regard that hee was out of possession of the said plott of ground for halfe a yeare after the demise thereof made unto him) bee abated halfe a yeares rent, provided that he doe forthwith pay the remaynder of such arreares as are due on him to the treasurer, and alsoe the accreweinge rent punctuallie hereafter.

Halgan.

Skippers
lane.

[9.] That the treasurer of this cittie shall allowe unto Laurence Halgan, currier (for certaine reasons sett forth by him in his petition to this said assemblie), out of the yearelie rent paiable by him unto this cittie for two houses or tenements hee holdeth in Skippers lane, the somme of twentie two shillings, sterling, beinge a cesse paied by him for the said yearelie rent.

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in, 68 b.

[10.] That Thomas Osborne, clockemaker, shall have 1657.
four pounds, sterling, a yeare, to commence at Michael-
mas next, for keepinge and maintaineinge the cittie City clock.
clocke, to bee paide by the treasurer of the cittie quar-
terlie, dureinge the pleasure of the cittie.

m. 66, 66 b.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on Admis-
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Jane Sankey, sions to
Margaret Coffie, William Corye, carpenter, William franchise.
Ewsden, butcher. By special grace, and on fines:
William Warren, Thomas Geoghegan, bakers, George
Reeves, cooper, Peter Ellicott, sherman, Thomas Margrave,
plasterer. Admitted, on having served apprenticeship:
John Cooke, merchant, Patrick Brehan, glover. As
children of freemen: Catherine Carden, maiden, Jane
Mylles, spinster, Paul Delasale, merchant.

m. 67 b.

1657, August 19.

Act and order:—Whereas Mr. Richard Tighe, alder- Richard
man, preferred petition unto this assemblee, sheweinge Tighe.
that there is due unto him, for his last yeares intertaine-
ment as Maior of this cittie, the somme of one hundred Mayoralty.
and fiftie pounds, sterling, and alsoe for his imployment
in this present parliament for this cittie, agreed upon by Parliament.
an acte of assemblee, the somme of one hundred pounds,
sterling; and forasmuch as the said sommes of money
are not onely justlie due unto him, but that hee hath
beene exposed to a farre greater chardge in England (for England.
the service of this cittie) than what the cittie was pleased
to give unto him, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed
that a course might be layde downe in this assemblee for
the satisfying thereof, or otherwise that hee might have
present securitie for the same, with intrest, untill it Security.
shalbee paied unto him: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblee, that
the petitioner shalbee secured of what is due to him,
together with the intrest from Michaelmas last, on the
rents of Baldoyle, at eight pounds, sterling, per centum, Baldoyle.

1657. by assurance under the cittie seale, to bee drawn by Roll xiii.
m. 67 b.
Mr. Recorder.

1657. Third Friday after 29 September.

m. 70.

Mayor
Sheriffs.

Mayor : Thomas Waterhouse, esquire. Sheriffs : John Forrest and John Tottie.

Treasurer.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Mr. William Smith, alderman, is chosen treasurer of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Masters of
works.

[2.] Mr. Richard Phillipps and Mr. Henry Bollardt are chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

Masters.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Bennett, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas Wakefield, Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. John Preston, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. Peter Wybrants, Mr. Robert Mylls, Mr. John Cranwell, Mr. Richard Cooke, and the rest of the aldermen, the Sheriffes, Mr. Marke Quine, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. Owen Jones, the master of the taylors, the master of the smithes and the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, whereof the Maior and one of the

Auditors.

Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, are chosen auditors of the said cittie for the forsaid yeare.

Ancient
custom.

Attorneys.

City courts.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas by the auncient custome of this cittie there ought to bee sixe able, honest and expert atturneyes admitted to practise in the cittie courts, and noe more, and that now of late severall that are of little or noe abilitie in the office and dutie of atturneyes doe presume to practise as atturneyes here, who by reason of their ignorance and other disabilities are often the occasion of overthrowe to many mens good causes, whereby men are loath to sue in the said courtes and able atturneyes discouraged to spend their time and endeavours in that imployment ; the said commons therefore humbly desired this assemblie to give order therein that sixe able and honest atturneyes, such as might bee examined and allowed by such as should

Discourage-
ment.

Examina-
tion.

Roll xiii.
m. 70.

bee thought fitt, to bee allowed onelie to practise in the said courtes, and that noe more or others might bee admitted to practise as attorneyes there : it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie (uppon consideracion had of the forsaid petition, and to avoid the inconveniences which may happen to such as shall bringe actions in this cittie courts), that from henceforth there shalbee sixe attorneyes attendinge the said courts and noe more, and that Raph Allen, Francis Harris, George Lambert, Henry Marten, Patricke Russell and Oliver Warren are hereby appointed to bee the present attorneyes in the said courtes, and that all others bee prohibited to practise there as attorneyes dureinge the said attorneyes attendance in the said courtes.

1657.
Limitation.
Admission.
Order.

Appoint-
ment.
Prohibition

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that sir William Usher, knight, shall have a lease for the tearme of threescore and one yeares, uppon those severall parcells of land followeing, that is to say, one parcell of land called the fortie acres, by and neere Donabrooke, beinge arrable land ; another parcell of land called the longe parke, both which parcells of land doe containe fortie three acres and tenn perches, and another parcell of land lyeinge in the fields of Symons Courte, beyond the river of the Dodder, contayneinge two acres, one roode and twelve perches by the measure of twentie and one foote by the perch, at twentie pounds, sterling, by the yeare, to beginne from Michaelmas last ; with such other covenants and condicions to bee incerted in his said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Sir William
Usher.

Dona-
brooke.
Long park.

Symons
court.
Dodder.
Measure.

[6.] Whereas Edward Mitchell, servant to Mr. John Forrest, now one of the Sheriffes of this cittie, did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas his said master hath a graunt from this cittie of a lease for divers yeares yett to come, of a parcell of the Strande in the backe parte of the garden wall of collonell Henry Markham, whereunto hee can have noe passadge, by meanes whereof his said master cannott make any

Mitchell.
Forrest.

Strande.
Markham

1657. benefitt thereof, whereby to enable him to pay the rent reserved thereon unto this cittie, in considera^{Roll xiii.}cion ^{m. 70.} whereof the petitioner humbly prayed this assemblee to accept of a surrender of the intrest made by this cittie of the premises unto his said master: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioners and his said masters surrender of the forsaid graunte and intrest of the premises shalbee and is accepted of by this assemblee.

[7.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Henry Markham, esquire, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninetie and seven yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth day of March next, one thousand, six hundred, fiftie eight, uppon a plott or parcell of ground extending in breath from the land demised by this said cittie unto Mr. Arthur Annesley, unto the land demised by this cittie aforsaid unto sir John Temple, knight, and in length to the lowe water marke, at the rent of fortie shillings, sterling, by the yeare; with such other covenants and condicions to bee incerted in his said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Fowkes. [8.] That Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, shall have a lease ^{m. 70 b.} for the tearme of three score and one yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth day of March next ensueinge, in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand, six hundred, fiftie eight, uppon a wast piece of ground adioyninge to the cittie wall at the end of Shipstreete, beinge beyond and belowe the millpond there, where the watercourse runneth, contayneinge from the cittie wall aforsaid, to the streete fourteene yards at each end to the south, and in the highway to the streete side, five and twentie yards in length, and in the north, alonge the cittie wall, five and twentie yards, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, to the threasurer of the cittie, and two fatt turkies at Christimas yearelie to the Maior of the said cittie for the time beinge, dureinge the said tearme, or tenn shillings, sterling, in monney, in lieue thereof, at

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the election of the said Maior for the time being; with 1657.
such other covenants, condicions and reservacions to bee
inserted in his said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[9.] That Robert Bowyer and Ann Bowyer, daughter Bowyer.
of the said Robert Bowyer, shall have a lease, for the
tearme of three score and one yeares, to beginne from
the feast day of Saint Michael the Archangell last past,
uppon that parte of one house in Castlestreete, which is Castle
street.
builte on halfe of the parte of the wall which was lett by
this cittie to John Cusacke, alderman, deceased, and Cusacke.
wherein the said Anns grandfather, Henry Robinson,
shoemaker, deceased, sometime lived, contayneinge in
length, from east to west, eight yards, and from north to
south the breadth of the said wall, and one foote of the
pavement on the north side of the said wall, at the rent
of fortie shillings, sterling, by the yeare, they surren-
dring theire present estate thereof in beinge, and payinge
the arreares thereout due for the time past (if any bee),
and dischargeinge the debt of twentie-three pounds,
sterling, claymed by Mr. Thomas Wakefield, alderman, Thomas
Wakefield.
to bee due unto him by this cittie; with such other
covenants and condicions and reservacions to bee inserted
in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

m. 69.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on Admis-
sions to
franchise.
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: John Clarke,
baker, Henry Bull, William Jones, chandlers, George
Burcham, barber. By special grace, and on fines:
Thomas Horneby, cutler, William Osborne, baker,
Thomas Smarte, butcher, Francis Brookes, miller, John
Bushopp, chandler, William Taper, tailor, Edward
Adkinson, shoemaker, Thomas Carter, saddler, Chris-
topher Fisher, Robert Massie, James Clarke, joiners,
Peter Iredell, John Browne, carpenters, William
Atkinson, mason. Admitted on having served apprentice-
ships: John Karrington, smith, Edward Roberts, butcher,
Roger Enos, bricklayer. As daughters of freemen: Jane
Sanderton, Elizabeth Bethell, spinsters.

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1657, October 30.

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m. 70 b.Belling-
ham
Palfrey.
Masters of
works.

Fine.

Bridge of
Dublin.

Indemnity.

Repairs.

Money.

Act and order:—Whereas Mr. Daniel Bellingham alderman, and Mr. Richard Palfrey, late masters of the cittie workes, preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that in Trinitie tearme last there was a fine imposed uppon them of one hundred pounds, sterling, uppon the presentment of the grand jurie, for not repaireinge the Bridge of Dublin; and forasmuch as the petitioners are like to bee very much prejudiced thereby, if some speedie course be not taken by this assemblie therein, the said petitioners therefore humbly prayed that some course might bee layde downe for theirre indempnitie, in regard they receaved noe monney to goe on with the worke, and alsoe that a course might bee layde downe and taken for supply of monneyes for repaireinge the said Bridge: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that the petitioners shall become bound for repaireinge of the said Bridge of Dublin by the next Michaelmas tearme, and that the cittie, by Easter assemblie next, shall take a course for levyinge of monneyes for repaireinge of the said Bridge by the said time, and save the petitioners indemnified of the said fine.

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1657-8. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1657.

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Rebellion.

Leaden
pipes.
Water.Obstruc-
tion.
Fire.Rents.
Fines.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that by reason of the late horrid rebellion the leaden pipes by which the water hath beene conveighed to the houses of severall the inhabitants of this cittie are much decayed and the passadges of the water oftentimes obstructed, whereby the cittie is or hath beene much and oftentimes disappointed, and in case of fire the danger may be the greater; and whereas (as it is humbly conceaved) the rents, with some moderatt fines that may justlie bee imposed and taken by this cittie from such as want pipes and water and desired to bee supplied, and

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alsoe from such persons as already have pipes and cockes ^{1657-8.}
in theire houses, may bee competent to repaire the said ^{Pipes.}
pipes; the said commons therefore humbly prayed this ^{Cocks.}
assemblie to take the premises into theire grave con-
sideracions, and to give such order therein as should bee
thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the ^{Order.}
authoritie of this present assemblie, that the Maior,
recorder, the treasurer, Alderman Huchinson, Alderman
Cranwell, the Sheriffes, Nathaniel Fowkes and Enoch
Ryder, or any foure of them, whereof the Maior to bee
one, bee appointed a committee to examine what fines and ^{Com-}
rent may bee made for the benefitt of this cittie for ^{mittee.}
repaireinge the bounds of the water to the cesterne, and ^{Exami-}
to stopp crosse the river of the Dodder, and the ^{nation.}
repaireinge of the cittie conductes and makeinge of a ^{Fines.}
new leaden pipe to conveigh the said water through the ^{Cistern.}
said cittie and the suburbs and liberties thereof, and to ^{Dodder.}
make contracts with such as shall desire to take such ^{Conduits.}
water to bee confirmed by the assemblie afterwards, and ^{New pipe.}
that such fines and rents shalbee receaved to be
accompted by themselves, and not to bee disposed of for ^{Contracts.}
any other use untill that the said worke shalbee per-
fected; and what the said commissioners shall doe from ^{Appro-}
time to time, they are to reporte the same to everie ^{priation.}
successive assemblie after such agreements made as
aforsaid, ^{Com-}
^{missioners.}
^{Reports.}

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that severall persons
sworne of the councill of this cittie doe but very seldome, ^{City}
or not at all (to the greate prejudice thereof), give theire ^{council.}
attendance on assemblie dayes; the said commons there- ^{Attend-}
fore humbly prayed that such persons faileinge to give ^{ance.}
theire attendance three quarter assemblies one after ^{Assemblies.}
another, they beinge lawfullie warned, haveinge noe
lawfull excuse, might bee disfranchised: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that such as
shall absent themselves for three assemblies together ^{Disfran-}
^{chisement.}

1657-8. from attendinge and giveinge their advise in assemblies, Roll xiii.
 Roll. shalbee putt out of the roll of common councill, and others m. 72.
 to bee chosen in their places.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons
 petitioned to the assemblie aforesaid, sheweinge that there
 hath bene severall sommes of monney collected and
 Collection. paid in by the incorporacions of this cittie for the support
 Corpora- of an agent to sollicit his highnes the lord protector and
 tions. parliament of England for satisfaction of such loane
 England. monneyes as are due unto this cittie, and other their
 Loans from Dublin. concernements; the said commons therefore humbly
 praied (for dispatch of the said agent) that such corpora-
 cions as have not paid in their monneyes may be
 thereunto required, and that a certaine number of each
 Consultation. corporacion may bee called to advise with the Maior,
 certaine of the aldermen and Sheriffes there, to propose
 their severall concernements, to the end the same may
 Agent. bee given in chardge to their said agent in his instruc-
 Instruc- tion. tions, and that it may bee made the request and proposall
 of the cittie towards satisfyinge their loane monneyes,
 Rents. that they may have the encrease of rents more than the
 Houses. states houses are now sett at in this cittie, and such
 discoverie of houses as are not yett made unto the
 Common-wealth. commonwealth: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
 authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioners request is
 Corpora- approved of, and that the incorporacions may appointe such
 tions. as are fitt to advise with Mr. Maior, the treasurer and
 the Sheriffes, or any three of them, to conclude con-
 cerneinge the petitioners request.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
 petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are
 severall good and wholesome lawes made for the weale of
 Laws. this cittie, and many of them unknowen to some in this
 City. assemblie, and therefore they prayed that the clarke of
 Clerk of Tholsel. the Tholsell might bee required to make a brieve of such
 lawes to bee read in after assemblies: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that there

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bee a committee appointed to viewe the lawes of the cittie, and that such as are convenient may bee made publike to the petitioners, and that the Maior, the treasurer and the Sheriffs bee appointed by this board, and that three more of the commons bee named by the assemblie for doeinge thereof. The names of the said commons we appointed and named are Thomas Clarke, Christopher Bennett, and John Sergeant.

1657-8.
Com-
mittee.

Appoint-
ment.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaide authoritie, that James Barlowe and captaine Randell Manninge shall have authoritie under the cittie seale to levie and collecte the threepenny custome,¹ belonginge unto this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, and that whatsoever suite shalbee brought for the just execucion thereof shalbee maintained at the cittie chardge, and that the petitioners shall have two shillings in the pound for collectinge thereof.

Barlowe.

Manninge.

Three-
penny
custom.

Suits.

Collection.

[6.] Whereas by an acte in Midsommer assemblie last, 1657, it was ordered and agreed² that the Maior, the treasurer, Mr. Sheriffe Phillipps, and any other two of the commons, to bee named by themselves, or any three of them, whereof the Maior to bee one, were authorised to treat, compound and conclude with sir James Barry, sir Robert Meredith, alderman Charles Forster and other persons sued by this cittie for certaine arreares of rent due on them unto this cittie for the land called the Pill, neere Saint Mary Abbey, and what they should agree and conclude uppon was thereby allowed: it is therefore (at the humble request of certaine the commons) agreed that this ensueinge agreement made thereuppon bee enrouled in pursuance of the said agreement, the tenor and effecte of which agreement ensueth in hec verba, videlicet: *

Barry.

Meredith.
Forster.

Pill.

St. Mary's
Abbey.

Enrol-
ment.

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In pursuance of the within acte wee, the undernamed, with sir James Barry, knight, on the behalfe of the chil-

¹ See vol. iii., p. xviii.

² See p. 116.

1657-8.
Gibson.
Debate.
Agreement.

dren of alderman Gibson, deceased, mett together, and, Roll xiii.
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uppon full debate concerneinge the agreement for the Pill,
it was concluded and agreed uppon that fourscore and
tenn pounds should bee paied by the administrators of
the said alderman Gibson to the cittie in full of all
arreares of rent for the said Pill for and untill Michaelmas
last, which said summe is paied into the hands of the
threasurer of the said cittie accordinge the said agree-
ment.—Thomas Waterhouse, Maior, Dublin, William
Smith, Ridgley Hatfeild, John Sergeant, George Surde-
vele, John Tottie.

Thomas
Water-
house,
Mayor.

Sir Paul
Davys.
Agency.

Protest-
ants.

Rents.

Lord
Protector.

Auditors.

[7.] Whereas severall of the nobilitie and gentrie of
this cittie of Dublin, by their letter bearinge date the
fifteenth of January, 1657[-8], did desire the Maior,
Sheriffes, aldermen and cittizens of the said cittie to
cause to bee paied unto Sir Paule Davys, knight, all such
monneyes as are due to him on this cittie for his agencie
in England in the behalfe of the despoiled Protestants
of Ireland, for obtaineinge the remission of the said
Protestants rents, by them paiable to his highnes the
lord protector, for their lands, tenements, tiethes and
hereditaments, as by the said letter more at lardge
appeareth: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforesaid, that the treasurer and auditors of
the cittie shall examine what rent is paiable by the cittie,
and, when the same shalbee knowen, then the treasurer
is hereby authorised to pay the said sir Paule Davys
what is to bee paied to him by warrant from the Maior.

Amos
Ogden.

[8.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
authoritie, that Amos Ogden, servant to Mr. Maior, shall
have and receave for the use of his said master, towards
the better supportacion of the chardges of his said
masters Maioraltie this yeare, fiftie barrells of malte, to
bee paied him by this cittie.

Henry
Bollardt,
apothecary.

* [9.] That Mr. Henry Bollardt, apothecarie, shall have
a lease, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares from
the five and twentieth day of March next, one thousand,

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in. 72 b.

six hundred, fiftie eight, uppon a wast plott of ground ^{1657-8.}
over against Mr. Daniel Beggs buildeings, and adjoyne-
inge to the house of one Nicholls, a dyer, neere Polegate, ^{Polegate.}
and in breadth from the said Nicholls house aforesaid to
the cittie wall thirtie seaven foote, at the yearelie rent of
fortie shillings, sterling, with such other covenants and
condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to bee inserted
in the said lease.

[10.] That John Blackwell, esquire, and his heires, ^{John Blackwell.}
shall have a fee fearme on fifteene acres of certaine lands
belongeinge to this cittie, lyeinge and beinge in the towne
and fields of Kildrought, alias Kildrough, belongeinge to ^{Kildrought.}
this cittie, to them and their successors for ever, at the
yearelie rent of three pounds and tenn shillings, sterling,
with a clause of distresse; which fifteene acres doe
bound and measure as followeth, that is to say, two
acres neere the Greene adjoyneinge to Tirrells land, three ^{Tirrell.}
stanges betweene Walshe and Tyrrells land, three acres
called the Ash three acres, halfe an acre called Mr. Maiors ^{Ash.}
parke, two acres of the orders betwixt Mr. Dongan and ^{Dongan.}
Mr. Walshes land, three stanges betwixt Westley and ^{Westley.}
Tirrells lands, one acre betwixt Mr. Dongan and Mr.
Tirrells lands, one acre called the small acre, two acres
called the high field, three acres by Mulloyes bater, one ^{Mulloy.}
small acre, and three stanges by Stony-Sully, and halfe ^{Stony-Sully.}
an acre by north the two tenements, belongeinge to the
cittie, now decayed.

[11.] Whereas Samuel Weston, Richard Heydon,
Thomas Springham and John Eastwoode, in the behalfe
of themselves and others their partners, petitioned to
the said assemblie, sheweinge that they are sued by this ^{City suit.}
cittie for the somme of fiftie pounds, sterling, due on them
in arreare of the rent of the towne and lands of Baldoyle, ^{Baldoyle.}
and the grange thereof, which they held from this cittie; ^{Grange.}
and therefore they desired this assemblie (for certaine
reasons sett forth in their said petition) to withdrawe
the said suite and remitt the said fiftie pounds: it is

- 1657-8. therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, Roll xiii. m. 72 b.
that, the petitioners payinge twentie five pounds, sterling,
and the costs of suite within tenn dayes now next
Discharge. ensueinge, the remaynder shalbee dischargd to the
petitioners.
- Fowkes. [12.] Whereas Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, preferred
petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas
the cittie did graunt unto him a lease, for tearme of
yeares, uppon a wast peece of ground joyneinge to the
City wall. Ship-
street.
Survey. cittie wall neere the end of Shipstreete, and that the slipp
neere the same was measured at the time of the survey
thereof, as by the returne of the same appeareth, which
maketh the said survey very uncertaine; and therefore
the petitioner desired that the said ground might bee
resurveyed, and that accordinge to the returne thereof
his said lease might bee made unto him: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the
Re-survey. said lands bee resurveyed and returned by the Maior and
the former surveyors, and a returne made thereuppon, as
is desired.
- Harvey, scavenger. [13.] Whereas alsoe William Harvey, scavenger,
petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee,
by the speciall appointment of Mr. Maior and the now
masters of the cittie works (haveinge one Eustace
Hopkinns by them ordered to bee an assistant), did
undertake to repaire the many and severall breaches in m. 73.
the watercourse which leades and tendes to the supplie
of the cittie, and the inhabitants thereof, in which worke
Water-
course.
Repairs. the petitioner did disburse in ready monney for materialls
Materials. and wages the summe of twentie one pounds, three
Wages. shillings, and three pence, which is now due from this
cittie over and above what this assemblie wilbee pleased
to allowe unto the petitioner and the said Eustace
Hopkinns. Hopkinns for theirc five weekes care and trouble whilst
the said workes were in repaireinge as aforesaid; and there-
fore the said petitioner humbly prayed that some course
might bee layde downe in this assembly for satisfaction

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m. 73 b.

not onely of the said disbursements, but alsoe for the 1657s.
petitioner and the said Eustace Hopkinns paines, care
and encouragement in the said worke as should bee
thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the Maior, the threasurer, the
alderman of the warde, the Sheriffes, the master of the Masters.
smithes and the master of the taylors, or any foure of
them, whereof the Maior to bee one, bee authorised to
make a cesse on such of the cittie as have benefitt
thereof for satisfying the demand.

[14.] Whereas likewise John Platt petitioned unto the John
said assemblie, sheweinge that there is the somme of Platt.
foure pounds, sterling, due to him from this cittie
for his stipend for ringeing of the Boebell at nine Stipend.
of the eloeke in the night and foure of the eloeke in the Ringing
morneinge, in the yeare of alderman John Prestons of bell.
Maioraltie,¹ and that the same is not as yett satisfied
unto him: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that the forsaid foure pounds elaymed by the
petitioner bee inserted into the cesse to bee made for Cess.
payment of William Harvey and others for the water-
course.

[15.] Whereas alsoe, James Doyle, Hugh Warde,
Daniel Carrick, and Thomas Neale, ballores, petitioned
to the said assemblie, sheweinge that they are behinde of
theise meanes allowed them for their service in this
cittie, for halfe a yeare in Mr. Ridgley Hatfields Hatfield,
Maioraltie:² it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the Mayor.
forsaid authoritie, that the petitioners bee paid by a cesse Cess.
to bee made on the cittie for their service by the Maior
and the aldermen of the severall wardes, the Sheriffes
and the churchwardens of the severall parishes of the
cittie, or any three of them, whereof the Maior and one
of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two.

m. 71.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on Admis-
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Lydia Pressieke, sions to
franchise.

¹ 1653-4.—See p. 51.

² 1656-7.

1657-8. , Mary Drinkwater, Dorothy Maynard, spinsters, John Thomas, bitt-maker, Nathaniel Drinkwater. By special grace, and on fines : George Anderson, Samuel Bradway, John Rawlinson, merchants, John Glasier, smith, George Bennet, chandler, Abraham Kilby, mason. Admitted on having served apprenticeships :—Thomas Reynolds, John Goldsmith. Bollardt, merchants ; John Partington, goldsmith, as apprentice to Daniel Bellingham, alderman ; Thomas Hooke. Hooke. Hooke, merchant, as apprentice to John Preston, alderman ; Adryan Connor, barber-surgeon, Henry Aston, Thomas Handcocke, John Whittigarre, glovers. As sons of freemen : Christoper Dowde, shoemaker, Martin Connor. In right of wife : Thomas Fitzsimons, baker. Roll xiii.
m. 71.

1657-8, March 2.

m. 73.

Escapes from Newgate. Acts and orders :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons peticioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that divers escapes have beene made from and out of gaole or custodie of the now keeper of Newgate, and now particularlie the late escape made by capten Jespar Hurlston, who, beinge a despratt and malicious enemy to the commonwealth, may bee an occasion of greate prejudice not onely to this cittie in particuler, but generallie to the three nations, by meanes of which said escape the present lord deputie may alsoe conceave some evill opinion of this cittie ; the said commons therefore humbly prayed (that in consideracion of the fore-mencioned and other abuses) this assemblie would bee pleased to lay downe some present course in the same for the future, that the said cittie may bee secured from runninge any further hazard, for or by reason of the said prison or keeper thereof : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that (for the reasons in the said petition mencioned) Titus Deane, now gaoler of the Newgate, Dublin, bee forthwith displaced from the place of gaoler of Newgate aforesaid, and that the Sheriffes take present care and

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chardge for securinge of the prisoners in the said gaole, until the said place shalbee otherwise disposed of.

1657-8.
Security.
Prisoner.

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[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there are severall arreares of rent due unto this cittie from severall persons who hold leases from the same, who doe denie to pay theire rents due on them, on whom the peticioners may not distraine without the authoritie of this cittie; and therefore they prayed the said assemblie to lay downe a course therein, whereby an authoritie may bee given under the seale of this cittie to the treasurer and this cittie agent, for to distraine on the parties in arreares and denyinge payment thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaide authoritie, that an authoritie bee given by this cittie, under the seale thereof, to distraine for the cittie arreares, as is above desired.

Arrears
of Rent.Authority
of city.

Seal.

Distrain.

m. 74.

1658. Second Friday after Easter.¹

1658.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas the master and wardens of the corporacion of smithes preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that the said corporacion haveinge, on the determination of a former lease which they had of Gormonds gate, petitioned in Easter assemblie, 1654 (at which time the said lease determined), for a new lease of the said gate at the former rent of fortie shillings, sterling, on which petition the cittie was then pleased to graunt unto the said corporacion a lease² of the said gate for sixtie and one yeares, at the rent of three pounds by the yeare, which rent they have duellie paid sithence the said graunt, yett is there in chardge on the peticioners for the said gate in the thesaurers booke of this cittie sixe pounds yearelie; and therefore they humbly prayed that the said rent of sixe pounds might bee taken out of chardge, and that they

Corpora-
tion of
smiths.Gormonds
gate.Treasurer's
book.¹ Easter-day, 11 April, 1653.² See p. 58.

1658. might pay noe more than the three pounds reserved on their new lease: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that the rent and the arreares of the sixe pounds yearlie rent in the said petition mencioned bee dischargd, and putt out of chardge, as is desired. Roll xiii.
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Wallis. [2.] Whereas alsoe Raph Wallis, gentleman, petitioner
Forster. unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that Charles Forster
of this cittie, alderman, formerlie had a lease of a wast
peece of ground joyneinge to Barrocks, alias Bradocks
bridge in Oxmantou, belonginge unto this cittie, unto
which the petitioner hath now intrest, that there beinge
arreares due thereon, and the said alderman beinge sued
for the same, the cittie, on the said aldermans petition to
References. the last assemblie, was pleased to referre the same to the
Maior, treasurer, Sheriffes, the master of the smithes
Masters. and the master of the shoemakers, to consider of the said
aldermans request, and to certifie what they should thinke
fitt to bee done therein to this assemblie; pursuant unto
which the said referees (accordinge to the said order)
mett and have certified that they conceave it fitt the
arreares to bee abated till Michaelmas last, and that the
petitioner should have a lease for eightie and one yeares
thereof for the future, at the rent of foure pounds, and
surrendringe upp the said Alderman Forsters lease, which
the petitioner accordinglie is ready to doe; and therefore
hee humbly desired that a lease might bee made unto him
thereof accordinge to the said reporte: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the forsaide authoritie, that
the petitioner, surrendringe the lease in beinge, shall
have a lease of the tearme of eightie and one yeares from
the feast of Easter last, 1658, at the rent of foure pounds,
sterling, with such other clauses, covenants and condicions
as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt, and enter into bonds
for performance of covenants.

Johnston. [3.] Whereas Gilbert Johnston, shoemaker, petitioned
unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas this

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cittie hath graunted unto him a lease for the tearme of 1658.
sixtie and one yeares uppon a little lane leadeinge to
the Bowe bridge, at the yearelie rent of one and thirtie ^{Bowe}
shillings, sterling; and forasmuch, as the petitioner ^{bridge.}
humbly conceaveth, the said yearelie rent is over greate,
in regarde the said lane is but sixe yards broad, as by the
survey thereof appeareth, and therefore desired this ^{Survey.}
assemblie to reduce the said yearelie rent to one and
twentie shillings, sterling, which hee is willinge to pay, and
thereuppon to take out his lease, otherwise to accept of
a surrender from him of the said graunt: it is therefore
ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid,
that the petitioner bee graunted the premises for the
yearelie rent of twentie two shillings, sterling, dureinge
the forsaid tearme, hee payinge this rent from the time
of his first graunt. The lease to bee drawn upp with
such covenants and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall
thinke fitt.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
forsaid authoritie, that Peter Wybrants, alderman, elected ^{Peter}
Maior for the ensueinge yeare, bee allowed towards the ^{Wybrants,}
supporte of the place of Maior of this cittie, the somme ^{Allowance.}
of two hundred pounds, sterling, out of the treasurie of
the cittie, to bee paied quarterlie on the Maiors warrant. ^{Mayoralty.}

[5.] That David John, goldsmith, shall have a lease ^{David}
for tearme of sixtie and one yeares from Easter last, ^{John,}
1658, uppon one house in Suters lane, alias Kennedys ^{goldsmith.}
lane, in Saint Nicholastreete, Dublin, which hee now
holdeth, contayneinge sixteene yards in length from the
north to the south, and seaven yards in breadth from east
to west, at the yearelie rent of fortie shillings, sterling,
and payinge the arreares now due thereon; with such
covenants, clauses and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall
thinke fitt.

[6.] That Edward Harris, goldsmith (for certaine ^{Harris,}
reasons sett forth in his petition to this assemblie), ^{goldsmith,}
shalbee paied for makeinge of fire workes on the behalfe ^{Fire-}
^{works.}

1658.
Night
show.
Lord
Deputy.

of this cittie for the night shewe at the time of his excellencie the present lord deputie beinge sworne; and for the materialls and necessaries for and concerning the said fire workes, the somme of tenn pounds, sterling, to bee paid by the treasurer of this cittie on Mr. Maiors warrant.

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Wilkinson.

[7.] That Thomas Wilkinson shall have the place of keeper of the gaole of Newgate, together with the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of the cittie, hee puttinge in good securitie to save the cittie harmeles from all escapes and repairinge the cittie gaole at his owne chardges, with all necessarie reparacions, and makeinge good what shalbee delivered into his hands, and findeinge securitie for the due and faithfull execucion of the said place.

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Newgate.
Fees.

Wybrants.

[8.] Mr. Peter Wybrants, alderman, is elected Maior of this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge year.

Sheriffs.

[9.] James Yates and Edward Batho are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare.

Quine.

[10.] Mr. Marke Quine is elected alderman in the place of Mr. John Woodcocke, alderman, late deceased.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Myles Grymes,

Goldsmith.

goldsmith, Humphrey Barrowe, George Ryder, tailors. By special grace, "and for the love and affection which he beareth to the citty;" John Santhey.¹ By special grace, and on fines: George Southwicke, goldsmith, George Smith, John North, Thomas Tennant, smiths, William Bannester, tallow-chandler, Richard Lindsey, William Taylor, Bethell Dobor, John Draycott, weavers, Nathaniel Palmer, distiller, Richard Parsons, tanner, Robert Goodman, carpenter, Nathaniel Vinte, Thomas Seabrooke, butchers, Robert Hargraves, glover. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: John Moxon, Thomas Ily, John Allen, Edward Mitchell, Robert Gaunce.

¹ In more recent hand.

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merchants, Philip Burges, John Hinton, butchers, Adam 1658.
Leech, shoemaker, Charles Adams, tailor, George Hunt,
mason, John Watson, Richard Sibthorpe, chandlers. As
children of freemen: Jane Dillon, spinster, Edmond
Tipper, baker, John Enos.

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1658. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas Francis
lord Angier petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge Lord
Angier.
that there are certaine arreares of rent (due dureinge the
time of the late rebellion) demanded of him by this cittie
for the north east tower or gate leadeinge to Saint St.
Stephen's
street.
Stephen-streete, and the south west tower or gate leade-
inge to Saint Kevenstreete, neere the White Friars gate, White-
friars.
which were noe benefitt or advantage unto him dureinge
the forsaid time; and therefore hee desired this assemblie
to remitt unto him the said arreares: it is therefore
ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this
present assemblie, that the petitioner payinge the
arreares due before the rebellion and since September, one
thowsand, sixe hundred, fiftie three, that the rest of the
said arreares shalbee remitted unto him.

[2.] Whereas alsoe sir Tymothie Tyrrell, knight, Sir Timothy
Tyrrell.
preferred petition unto the said assemblie, desireinge
that all such arreares of rent as are due unto this cittie
uppon a small parcell of ground on the Colledge Greene College
Green.
leadeinge to Saint Stephens Greene, on the highway St.
Stephen's
Green.
there, demised unto the late lord primatt¹ of Ireland in
the yeare one thowsand, six hundred, thirtie eight,
might bee (for certaine reasons sett forth in his said
petition) remitted: it is therefore ordered and agreed
uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that (on the considera-
cion of the petitioners request) all such arreares as are
due on the premises are remitted untill the five and
twentieth day of March last, 1658, the petitioner payinge
the rent thereout groweinge due for the future.

¹ James Ussher, who died in 1656.

1658. [3.] Whereas likewise Peter Wybrants, alderman, Roll xiii.
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 Peter petitioned unto the said assemblee, sheweinge that in
 Wybrants. midsommer assemblee, 1654, hee was ordered¹ to pay one
 hundred pounds, sterling, for not serveinge in the office
 of Maioraltie of this cittie in the yeare 1652, which
 Mayoralty, summe hee hath not as yett paied ; and forasmuch as the
 1652. petitioner is nowe elected to undergoe the office of
 Maioraltie of this cittie the next Michaelmas, which (God
 willinge) hee intends to undertake : hee therefore prayed
 this assemblee to remitt unto him the said one hundred
 pounds for the reasons aforsaid : it is therefore ordered
 and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the
 petitioners request bee and is hereby graunted ; provided
 hee doe serve in the said office the next yeare in person.

Fowkes. [4.] Whereas alsoe Nathaniel Fowkes, taylor, petitioned
 unto the said assemblee, sheweinge that whereas uppon
 petition² preferred by him the last Christmas assemblee,
 settinge forth that this cittie did graunt unto him a lease
 for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares uppon a wast
 peece of ground adjoyneinge to the cittie wall neere the
 City wall. end of Shipstreete, and that uppon survey thereof
 Ship street. returned the slipp neere the said peece of ground was not
 Survey. measured at the time of the said survey, which made the
 same uncertaine, and thereuppon it was ordered that the
 Re-survey said wast peece of ground should be resurveyed, which
 was done and returned accordinglie, which is as followeth,
 that is to say, that the said wast plott of ground containeth
 Doctor from Doctor Fountaines³ now dwellinge house westwards
 Fountaine. thirtie yards, or thereabouts, in breadth from the cittie
 wall southwardes to the streete sixtene yards, and in
 length alonge the cittie wall from the tower there twentie
 sixe yardes, or thereabouts. Provided alwayes that the
 Slipp. petitioner doe leave and permitt the slipp leadeinge into
 River. the river or watercourse there, beinge three yards broad,
 Water- course. or thereabouts, to bee in the place where now it is and

¹ See p. 66.² See p. 134.³ James Fountaine, surgeon to Henry Cromwell's regiment.

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not to bee stopped upp at any time dureinge his lease on 1658.
the premises. And therefore the petitioner humbly
prayed this assemblie to graunt him the premises for the
tearme of yeares at the yearelie rent formerlie graunted Rent.
unto him accordinge the said resurvey made thereof as
aforesaid: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioner shall have a lease
on the premises for the tearme in the petition mencioned,
at the rent and yearelie duties in the former graunt con-
tained, under the condicions in the last survey contained,
and such other covenants, clauses and condicions as Mr.
Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[5.] Whereas likewise William Allen and John Watson, Watson.
administrators of master Joseph Watson, late deceased,
did petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that the said
Joseph, some foure dayes before his death, beinge nomi- Death.
nated to bee one of the Sheriffes of this cittie for the Nomina-
next ensueinge yeare, and makeinge afterwards known tion.
his unfitnes and disabilitie to undergoe that imployment, Sheriff.
hee was ordered to pay the summe of thirtie pounds, Disability.
sterling, fine for his dischardge of the said office of
Sherivaltie unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of
the said cittie; the petitioners therefore prayed this
assemblie (for certaine motives and reasons sett forth in
theire forsaide petition) to give order that the said thirtie
pounds might bee remitted: it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the forsaide authoritie, that, for the
reasons in the petition mencioned, that on payment of tenn
pounds sterling, forthwith to the threasurer of this cittie,
for the use of the said cittie, then the remayneinge
twentie pounds of the said thirtie pounds bee remitted. Remission.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Ralph Allen petitioned unto the Ralph
said assemblie, settinge forth that for these severall Allen.
yeares past hec hath beene imployed by this cittie to City
sollicitt and followe the cittie suites, in and about which suits.
hec hath layde out and expended much monneyes, which, Expendi-
with his salary due at Michaelmas last past, amounts to ture.

1658. one hundred and thirteene pounds odd monneyes, as by Roll xiii.
m. 76.
Auditors, an accompte then past before the auditors appointed for takeinge the same appeareth; since which time hee hath layde out and expended much more monneyes in and about the cittie suites, as will appeare by his accomptes, if auditors bee appointed for takeinge the same; and therefore the petitioner humbly prayed this not onelie to give order to the treasurer to pay unto him speedilie m. 76 b. what is due unto him uppon his former accompte, but likewise what shall appeare to bee now due unto him
- Account. uppon auditinge his now accompte: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioners further accomptes bee referred to the auditors of this cittie to state and exanine, and that his whole dues bee paied unto him by the treasurer on the Maiors warrant.
- Admis- Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine m. 75.
sions to of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Thomas Hand,
franchise, chandler, James Lightfoote, saddler. By special grace,
Plate, and on fine of a piece of plate paid to the treasurer:
Goldsmith, Edward Shorte, goldsmith. By special grace, and on
fines: Stephen Crompton, merchant, James Meader, tanner, Walter Raskell, saddler, Edmund Blundell, brazier. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: William Fullam, Richard Houghton, merchants; Josua Allen, merchant, as apprentice to Garrott Vanhoven; Stephen Doyle, George Brasbridge, chandlers, William Carroll, joiner, William Evans, tailor. As daughter of freeman: Easter Kelly, spinster.

1658, August 9.

m. 76 b.

Colonel
Humphrey
Barrow.

Act and ordinance:—Whereas collonell Humphrey Barrow did in midsommer assemblie last petition unto the said assemblie, desireinge to bee imployed as agent for this cittie concernements touchinge the same, and thereby did propose certaine matters tendinge to the good and benefitt of the said cittie to bee considered of by the said

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assemblie ; uppon readeinge whereof it was then ordered, 1658.
 by the said assemblie, that the Maior, Sheriffes, the
 masters of the severall corporacions of this cittie, and ^{Corpora-}
 such others of the cittizens as the Maior should call to ^{tions.}
 theire assistance, were authorised to call before them the
 petitioner and such others as they should thinke fitt to
 treat with them concerninge the matters in the said
 petition contained, and to article and agree with the
 petitioner concerninge the matters aforsaid, and with
 all expedicion, and, on concludeinge thereon, Mr. Maior to
 call an assemblie for the confirmeinge of the said agree-
 ments; in pursuance of which order the said Maior,
 Sheriffes, masters of the severall corporacions, and other ^{Masters.}
 cittizens appointed and authorised as aforsaid, did, in a
 meetinge by them made the second day of August, one ^{Meeting.}
 thousand, six hundred, fiftie eight, uppon conference and ^{Conference.}
 agreement by them had and made with the said ^{Agree-}
 Humphry Barrow, order the followinge, that is to say, ^{ment.}
 that the said Humphry Barrow bee and is thought fitt
 to bee entertayned and imployed as an agent to sollicit ^{Agent.}
 his highnes and his councill and the parliament of
 England (if any bee sittinge dureinge his sollicitacion) ^{England.}
 for the gaineinge of a graunt to such requests as from
 time to time hee shalbee instructed in by the Maior,
 Sheriffes, commons and cittizens of the cittie of Dublin,
 and they thinke fitt that the summe of two hundred
 pounds bee advanced by the severall corporacions
 forthwith towards his supportacion in his said im-
 ployment, for which the said Humphry Barrow ^{Support-}
 is to give securitie to make a true accompte unto ^{tation.}
 the cittie of his disbursements and of his diligent actings
 in the premises, and that twentie pounds bee forthwith
 paid unto the said Humphry Barrow in parte towards
 his encouragment, and hee, the said Humphry Barrow, ^{Encourage-}
 shall, at any time within foure monthes, uppon notice to ^{ment.}
 him given, bee ready to attend and acte in the busines
 and concernements of the cittie as aforsaid, or, if not

1658. employed within the said time, hee, the said Humphry Barrow, is not at all to bee accomptable unto the cittie for the twentie pounds soe to bee paied unto him as aforsaid, in regard of his attendance uppon the said imployment; and the said committee doth alsoe, thinke fitt that if compensation bee obtained in lands by him for the debts due unto the citie from the commonwealth, that then the said Humphry Barrow shall have a lease of the tenth parte thereof dureing his naturall life at a pepper-corne a yeaire, hee making a true accompte of the said two hundred pounds received, or to bee received from the cittie as aforsaid; and whereas certaine of the commons, by their petition preferred unto this assemblie, desired that a course might bee layde downe therein whereby the matters in the forsaid order of the committee aforsaid, might bee confirmed and accomplished: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that the said collonell Humphry Barrow shall have twentie pounds in parte payment of the two hundred pounds ordered to him for his agencie for this cittie, to bee paied him out of such of the incorporacions monneyes as remayne in the hands of Alderman Daniel Bellingham, and for the raiseinge of the said two hundred pounds, Mr. Maior is to call the severall masters of the severall incorporacions of this cittie, that have not yett paied in their monneyes, to the end an accompte may bee given unto this cittie of what monneyes Mr. Bellingham hath hitherto received.

1658. Third Friday after 29 September.

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Mayor. Sheriffs. Mayor: Peter Wybrants, esquire. Sheriffs: John Eastwoode and Robert Arundell.

Treasurer. Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. William Smith, alderman, is chosen threasurer of the cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Masters of city works. [2.] Mr. John Forrest and Mr. John Tottie are chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

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[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Bennett, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Thomas Wakefield, Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. John Preston, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. Robert Mylls, Mr. John Cranwell, and the rest of the aldermen, the Sheriffes, Enoch Reader, Owen Jones, the master of the taylors, the master of the smithes, the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, whereof Mr. Maior and one of the Sheriffes, to bee alwayes two, are chosen auditors for the said cittie for the forsaid yeare.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, desiringe that a course might bee layde downe therein, whereby the Friday meetings may bee kept on Munday in everie weeke, and that a course might bee alsoe layde downe therein for levyinge of the fines usuallie imposed on such of the aldermen as should make default to come to the said meetings: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that the Friday meetings formerlie used by the Maior and aldermen of this cittie bee no more used, and that there bee hereafter a meeting of the said Maior and aldermen everie Munday morning, to consider of and order the good government of the cittie at the Tholsell, and that everie alderman that without licence of the Maior or good excuse shall absent himselfe, shall forfeite the somme of two shillings and sixpence, sterling, to bee levied of his goodes by warrant of the Maior, for everie default, and to bee employed to the use of the poore at Mr. Maiors discretion.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, uppon petition of certaine of the commons, that the now Maior of this cittie shall receive fiftie barrells of malte belonging to this cittie, and now in the citties dispose, towards the supportacion of the chardges of his office of Maioraltie this yeare.

[6.] Whereas Daniel Byrne, taylor, preferred petition

1658.

Masters.

Auditors.

Meetings.
Friday.
Monday.

Aldermen.

Tholsel.

Fines.

Poor.

Mayor.

Malt.

Supporta-
tion.Daniel
Byrne.

1658. unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas in the Roll xiii.
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yeare 1654 hee was fined in the somme of thirtie pounds,
sterling, for the dischargde of the office of Sherivaltie in
this cittie for ever, which fine of thirtie pounds, sterling,
hee did (by the order and consent of the then Maior and
table of aldermen) pay over unto Mr. Ridgley Hatfeild,
alderman, whose receipte for the same hee is ready to
produce, yett notwithstandinge hee still stands chardged
in the booke of accompts of this cittie with the now
payment thereof, and is threatened by the treasurer to
bee sued for the same; and therefore hee humbly prayed
this assemblie to give order for the discharggeinge him
of the said thirtie pounds: it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the
treasurer doe accompte with Alderman Hatfeild what
monneyes remaineth due unto him for his Maioraltie,
and to give him an allowance of the thirtie pounds above
mencioned in parte of his said allowance, and then the
treasurer to dischargde the petitioner.
- [7.] Whereas alsoe William Allen and John Watson,
administrators of Joseph Watson, deceased, petitioned
unto the said assemblie, desiringe to have a remittall of
the somme of tenn pounds, beinge the reducement of
thirtie pounds, sterling, imposed on the said Joseph
Watson for his fine for the dischargde of the office of
Sherivaltie in this cittie for ever: it is therefore ordered
and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that all
that is unpaied of the said tenn pounds shalbee and is
hereby remitted.
- [8.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the
forsaid authoritie, that William Kennedy, swordbearer,
Henry Powell and William Barlowe, waterbailiffs, Oliver
Walsh, marshall, James Stewart, William Shelton,
Anthony Dobbs, Christopher Duffe and Edward Smith,
officers at mace, shall continue in their forsaid severall
respective places and offices duringe the pleasure of this
cittie.

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[9.] That William Harvy, scavenger, of this cittie, shall have a lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn from the five and twentieth day of March last, 1658, uppon a wast plott of ground without Saint James gate, neere Saint James well, contayneinge in length, from the stone wall in the south to the end northwarde, fourscore yards, and in breadth at the end next Saint James gate twentie seaven yards, and at the end towards the redd mills seaventeene yards, at the yearelie rent of a cowple of fatt turkeys yearelie to the Maior for the time beinge, if hee and his now wife shall soe longe live, and if they shall dye within the said tearme, there bee reserved dureinge the remaynder of the said tearme foure pounds, sterling, by the yeare, hee leaveinge fortie foote for the highway there; with such other clauses, covenants, reservacions and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

1658,
William
Harvy.

St. James'
well.

Gate.

Red
mills.

Turkeys.

Mayoress.

m 77 b.

[10.] Whereas Lewyes Williams, smith, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that heretofore hee petitioned this cittie to have a lease of a small [parcell] of land (whereof most was consistinge in a poole of water), for sixtie and one yeares, it lyeinge by the Longe Stone and highway leadeinge to Lazie Hill, and reachinge to one William Reasons bricke wall, which lease and tearme of yeares was graunted unto him at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, and that uppon the survey thereof returned it was not justlie and rightlie surveyed and measured out, beinge that it was lesse surveyed and returned then re vera belongs to this cittie; and there-uppon it was ordered (uppon his peticion in the last Easter assemblie) that the said land should bee resurveyed, which was done and returned accordinglie, which is as followeth, that is to say, that the said parcell of land containeth in length, from the corner of the said William Reasons house next the highway unto the forsaid Longe Stone westwards, sixtie and foure yards, and by the ditch boundinge on the south of the said

Williams.

Land.
Water.

Long
Stone.
Lazie
hill.

Reason.

Survey.

Resurvey.

1658. parcell of land from the said William Reasons house Roll xiii.
m. 77 b.
westwards sixtie and five yards, and contayneth in
breadth in the east end thereof adjoyneinge to the house
of the said William Reason eightie yards, and at the west
Long
Stone. end from the said Longe Stone southwards twentie and
seaven yards; and therefore the petitioner humbly
prayed this assemblie that the said land might bee sett
forth unto him accordinge the said resurvey, and that hee
might enjoy the same accordinglie, payinge the forsaide
yearelie rent dureinge the tearme aforsaid graunted unto
him: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner shall enjoy the
premises accordinge the said resurvey at the rent of
twentie shillings, sterling, accordinge to the former
graunte.

Mary
Reilly. [11.] Whereas Mary Reilly, widdow, preferred petition
unto the said assemblie, desiringe this assemblie to
conferre uppon her the place of and benefitt of one of the
Poor
widows.
Allowance. poore widdowes who have a certaine yearelie allowance
of almes out of the treasurie of this cittie, the next that
shall fall after the decease of any of the said poore
widdowes now in beinge: it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that if there bee
none vacant, that shee shall have the next place that
falleth.

Brimigham.
Jones. [12.] Whereas Edward Brimigham and Rowland Jones
petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the
late Maior and Sheriffes of this cittie did imploy them to
keepe the gaole of Newgate presentlie after the decease
Gaol of
Newgate.
Wilkinson. of Thomas Wilkinson, late keeper thereof, and then
promised them that they should bee satisfied and paid
for their paines therein by such person as the said place
of keeper of the said gaole should bee graunted unto; and
forasmuch as the said place is to bee disposed of to such
person as the cittie shall thinke fitt, the petitioners
humbly prayed that an order might bee laide downe in
this assemblie for such satisfaction to bee made unto

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m. 77 b.

them for keepinge the gaole aforsaid in manner aforsaid ^{1658.}
as this assemblie should thinke fitt by such person as the
same shalbee graunted unto ; it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the gaoler
of the cittie that shalbee shall give the petitioners such
satisfaction for theire paines in the said imployment as
Mr. Maior, Alderman Waterhouse and the Sheriffes shall
thinke fitt.

[13.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the said
assemblie, that sir John Temple, knight, master of the <sup>Sir John
Temple.</sup>
rolls of his highnes chauncerie of Ireland, shall have a
lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn
the nine and twentieth day of September last, one
thowsand, six hundred, fiftie eight, uppon a parcell of
ground, parcell of the lane leadeinge unto the quarrie ^{Quarry.}
belonginge to this cittie, and formerlie demised unto Mr.
Robert Ball, of the said cittie, alderman, deceased, ^{Ball.}
contayneinge in length, from north to south, threescore
and tenn yards, or thereabouts ; in breadth, at the south
end thereof, towards the streete, seaven yards, or there-
abouts ; and in breadth, at the north end thereof,
backwards, tenn yards, or thereabouts, at the rent of
thirtie shillings, sterling, by the yeare, the petitioner
surrendringe the lease in possession and procureinge
such others as have intrest therein to doe the same.

m. 78.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on <sup>Admis-
sions to
franchise.</sup>
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Rebecca
Pritchard, spinster, John Russell, merchant, Daniel
Williams, Edmond Hoyle, goldsmiths, Thomas Iverson,
glover, Richard Brayne, carpenter, Christopher Blott,
smith. By special grace, and on fine of a piece of plate
paid to the treasurer: James Fountaine,¹ "chirurgion."
By special grace, and on fines: Paul Palmer, cooper,
Richard Reyner, tanner, Thomas Wade, cook, Edward
Birkes, 'heilyer,' John Toole, plasterer, Benjamin Gosmore,

¹ See p. 142.

1658. shoemaker. Admitted, on having served apprentice- Roll xiii.
ships: Joshua Rowlandson, Thomas Morely, Edmond m. 78.
Graves, Henry Rawlinson, Edmond Tunsdell, merchants,
David Barnesby, Arthur Marten, tailors, John Barton,
Leonard Dobbs, shoemakers, William Browne, Thomas
Stafford, Nicholas Holywoode, bakers, Philip Burek,
saddler. As sons of freemen: Thomas Springham,
merchant, Richard Locke, dyer, Sylvester Veldon, baker.

1658-9 1658-9. Fourth Friday after 25th December, 1658. m. 79.

Carmen. Laws, orders and constitutions: [1.] Whereas the car-
Quays. men,¹ with their carrs frequentinge the keyes and other
partes of this cittie, are a greate prejudice to this cittie,
Pavements. spoileinge the pavements thereof: it is therefore ordered
and agreed upon, by the authoritie of this present
assemblie, that noe carre bee suffered to come or pester
either of the keyes or other partes of the said cittie,
Licence. unlesse that first each carman have a licence under the
hand of the Maior of the said cittie, and engage to pay
Payments. foure shillings a yeare for each carre by twelve pence a
quarter, and that each carman that shalbee employed in
the said cittie, and shall not take such licence and pay
Rent. the said rent, shall forfeite for everie time that hee or
they shall come to the said cittie the somme of tenn
Penalty. shillings, sterling, to bee levied by distresse of the goodes
of the partie that shall soe offend by the Maiors warrant,
for the use of the Maior for the time beinge, and the
former lawes for this purpose to bee putt in execucion.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred
petition unto this present assemblie, desireinge
that a course might bee layde downe therein, whereby
one hundred pounds, sterling, the remaine of the two
hundred pounds, sterling, appointed and collected for an
agent for the use of this cittie, might bee paied over unto
Mr. Daniel Bellingham, for the use of Mr. Arthur
Belling-
ham.

¹ See vol. iii., p. xv.

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m. 79.

Annesley, appointed cittizen for and on the behalfe of this cittie to serve in the present parliament in England : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said one hundred pounds, sterling, petitioned for as aforsaid, shalbee repaied out of the one hundred pounds, sterling, assessed [or] to bee assessed on this cittie.

1658-9,
Arthur
Annesley.
Parlia-
ment.
England.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, desireinge that a course might bee layde downe therein for raiseinge of maintenance for Arthur Annesley, esquire, chosen cittizen to serve in Parliament for this cittie ; it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that a cesse of one hundred pounds, sterling, bee made on the inhabitants of this cittie, and the liberties thereof, for the supplie of Mr. Arthur Annesley, appointed cittizen for and on the behalfe of this cittie to serve in Parliament, to bee made by the Maior, Sheriffes and foure of the commons, such as the house of commons shall appointe. The names of the commons soe appointed are these followeing, that is to say, Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. Richard Phillipps, Mr. John Sergeant and Mr. George Surdevele.

Mainte-
nance.
Arthur
Annesley.

Cess.

Parliament.

Commons
of city.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that George Lambert, gentleman, shalbee and is hereby declared and allowed to bee a publicque notarie in this cittie of Dublin.

George
Lambert.
Public
notary.

[5.] Whereas Catherin Clinton, widdow, petitioned unto the said assemblie, desiring to have a remittall of the fine of five pounds, sterling, imposed on her in the last Christmas sessions for a certaine misdemeanour by her committed ; it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner doe give securitie to the threasurer of this cittie for the payment of her said fine, that is to say, fiftie shillings, sterling, in hand, and fiftie shillings, sterling, more within sixe monthes now next ensueinge.

Clinton.

Fine.

Payment.

1658-9. [6.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the ^{Roll xiii.} forsaid authoritie, that the fine of fortie shillings, sterling, ^{m. 79.} imposed on the wife of Roger Eves the last Christmas sessions (uppon consideracion had of his peticion preferred touchinge the same), shalbee and is hereby reduced to three shillings and foure pence, sterling.

Roger
Eves.

[7.] That the treasurer of this cittie shall take and Knappes. accept of the bond of Sarah Knappes for the payment, within a yeare now next ensueing, of the somme of fortie shillings, sterling, imposed on her in the last Christmas sessions aforsaid.

Casson.
Templeoge.

Water-
course.

[8.] That the somme of seaven pounds, sterling, shalbee paid by the treasurer of this cittie unto Robert Casson of Templeoge, on Mr. Maior's warrant, in full satisfaction of all his demands for his paines, costs and chardges in makeinge upp the watercourse of this cittie, in order to the contracte made by Mr. John Forrest and Samuel Saltonstall concerneinge the said worke.

[9.] That the treasurer of this cittie shall satisfie ^{m. 79 b.} and pay, on Mr. Maiors warrant, unto John Tadpole, the somme of fiftie shillings, sterling, in full satisfaction of all his demands from this cittie touchinge his employment heretofore for the bringinge of the weekelie bills of mortalitie within this cittie suburbes thereof.

Weekly
bills of
mortality.

Admis-
sions to
franchise

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on ^{m. 78 b.} fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Mary Fenton, spinster, Stephen Burston, clerk, John Huigh, "servant to Mr. Recorder," John Phillipps, saddler, Robert Seaman, tailor, Samuel Guy, shoemaker. By special grace, and on Goldsmith. fines: Charles Butler, goldsmith, John Sherrard, Edward Moore, tailor, James Nevett, William Kitch, carpenters, Thomas Browne, vintner, Henry Tothill, barber. Admitted on having served apprenticeships: Edward Tarltan, Robert Freeman, merchants; Robert Brereton, apothecary, as apprentice to Mark Quine, alderman; Apothecary. William Yates, glover, George Vickers, trunk-maker,

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m. 78 b.

Thomas Roirke, baker, Peter Ides, tailor, James Bryan, 1658-9.
butcher, Matthew Ash, saddler, Adam Harris, plasterer.

m. 80.

1659. Second Friday after Easter.¹

1659.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this present assemblie, sheweinge that uppon a committee appointed by this cittie how the two hundred pounds raised on the severall corporacions of this cittie for sendinge an agent into England hath beene disposed of, and what the obstruction hath beene that the said agent was not sent, a true accompte appeareth in a schedule unto the said petition annexed, and for that the said two hundred pounds already raised hath been disposed of to the use of this cittie as in the said schedule is alsoe expressed, and for that the effectinge of the ends propounded to bee carryed on by the said agent for the good of this cittie hath beene obstructed by the commissioners of accomptes, and soe continueth for further prosecution thereof; the said commons humbly prayed this assemblie that two hundred pounds might bee levied of the severall corporacions forthwith, and a committee appointed to choose an agent to prosecute the affaires of the cittie effectuallie and with care: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, uppon consideracion had of the said petition and the reporte in the forsaid schedule thereunto annexed, that the twentie pounds unsatisfied by the corporacions which have not paid the same bee first brought in and paid, and that one hundred and fourescore pounds now bee levied on all the corporacions for the ends in said reporte contained, and that the Maior and Sheriffes, and foure of the aldermen such as the Maior shall call to his assistance, and foure of the commons such as they shall name, or any five or more of them,

Assessment.
Corporations.
Agent to
England.

Obstruction.
Commissioners of
accounts.

Affaires of
city.

¹ Easter-day, 3 April, 1659.

1659. whereof the Maior, two aldermen and two of the commons Roll xiii.
m. 80.
 Committee. to bee present, bee appointed a committee to nominatt an
 agent to bee employed for prosecucion of the affaires of
 the cittie, and that they have power to give instructions
 to the said agent, such as they shall thinke fitt for the
 said agent to proceede by, and that the said monneyes
 soe levied shall remaine in the hands of the said corpora-
 tions untill the said agent shall have his instructions and
 bee ready to goe for England, and then to bee delivered
 unto him, and when the monneyes due to the cittie
 which they lent shalbee repaied, that out of the monneyes
 to bee receaved for the use of the cittie the said corpora-
 tions shalbee repaied. And it is further ordered that the
 said Maior and Sheriffes shall appointe dayes and times
 Meetings. for the meetinge of the said committee; and if any of
 them shall fayle to meete on reasonable warneinge, hee
 Fines. shall forfeite tenn shillings, sterling, for everie default,
 to bee levied of theire goodes respectivelie by distresse
 on the Maiors warrant. The names of the aldermen
 named by the Maior and aldermen to bee of the said
 committee. are these, that is to say, Alderman Hooke,
 Alderman Smith, Alderman Quine and Alderman Huchin-
 son. The names of the commons appointed by the said
 Committee. committee are these, that is to say, Mr. Thomas Clarke,
 Mr. Lewys Desminieres, Mr. John Sergeant and Mr.
 George Surdevele.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
 unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that this cittie is very
 much incumbred with an excessive number of idle
 Idle persons. persons, both men and women, haveinge noe lawfull
 callinge nor meanes for theire livelyhoode, which, if not
 remedied in time, may tend to very evill consequences in
 this cittie; and therefore the said commons prayed this
 assemblie to lay downe a course therein for the
 suppressinge of the greate number of idle women, and
 maydens that sitt in most streetes of this cittie, sellinge
 of aples, oranges, lemons, and others regrateinge of egges,
 Women. Maidens.
 Apples,
 oranges,
 lemons,
 eggs.

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m. 80.

henns, and severall other commodities, to the greate 1659.
 prejudice of the inhabitants of this cittie; and alsoe for
 the suppressinge of the many idle boyes that are in the Idle boys.
 said cittie and have noe lawfull callinge or way of
 livelyhoode: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon,
 by the authoritie aforsaid, that there bee beadles Beadles.
 appointed in everie parish in this cittie, to bee main-
 tained by the inhabitants of each parish, and that
 forthwith there shalbee a lardge cage sett in the Corne Cage.
 markett, where the beadles and constables are to imprison market.
 all beggers, idle women, and maides sellinge aples and Imprison-
 ment.
 oranges, and all regraters, all idle boyes goeing with
 cleeves or otherwise, and all other idlers, who are to bee
 kept there untill they shalbee examined and punished Examina-
 accordinge to the lawe. The said cage to bee builde at Punish-
 ment.
 the cittie chardge.

[3.] Whereas Amos Ogden preferred petition unto this Ogden.
 assemblie, sheweinge that there is a plott of ground
 belonginge unto this cittie neere Saint Frauncis gate, of Saint
 which the now Maior of this cittie hath a lease for divers gate.
 yeares yett to come; the buildeings that were thereon
 by meanes of the rebellion have beene all destroyed, Rebellion.
 which hath made the same wast and useles to the said
 Mr. Maior, whereby hee could not make any benefitt
 thereof to pay the rent reserved thereout to the cittie,
 and therefore the petitioner prayed this assemblie (for
 the reasons aforsaid) to remitt the arreares due on the
 premises for the time past and for three yeares next to
 come: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
 authoritie aforsaid, that that proporcion of the rent
 which belongeth unto Mr. Maior to pay shalbee and is
 hereby remitted . . . Michaelmas next.

m. 80 b.

[4.] Whereas John Exham, esquire, petitioned unto John
 the said assemblie, desiringe (for certaine reasons and Exham.
 allegacions sett forth in his said petition) that hee might
 bee remitted certaine arreares of rent chardged by the Rent.
 threasurer of this cittie to bee due on him, that is to say,

1659. Oxmantou. twentieth shillings arreares for a tenement scituatt in Roll xiii.
m. 80 b.
Oxmantou, which hee houldeth from this cittie for Michaelmas gale, one thowsand, six hundred, fittie two, and sixe pounds arreares for a tenement in Saint Thomas streete for parte of the yeares 1648, 1649 and 1650: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner shalbee and is hereby remitted all the above mencioned arreares, hee payinge three pounds to the treasurer of this cittie, to the use of the said cittie.

[5.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that captaine James Browne shalbee satisfied and paied by the treasurer of this cittie, on Mr. Maiors warrant, the somme of twelve pounds and twelve shillings, sterling, for worke done by him, and findeinge of materialls in erectinge a new pinfold without Saint James Gate.

[6.] That Amos Ogden, gentleman, shall have a lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn at Easter last past, uppon one house or messuage scituatt in Saint Thomas streete, formerlie demised by this cittie unto one John Luttrell Fitz Roberts, and two gardens in the backside of the said house, one whereof is called the Stange, at the yearelie rent of thirtie shillings, sterling, and alsoe payeinge yearelie unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge, a couple of capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieue thereof, at Christmas yearelie, at the election of the said Maior for the time beinge; with such other covenants, clauses, and condicions to be inserted therein as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt; with such double rents as the cittie is chardgeable to pay, which rent is to bee above contribucion and all other chardges.

[7.] That John Everton, skinner, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares, to commence from the 25th day of March last past, uppon a plott of ground without Saint Nicholas gate, belonginge unto this

Roll xiii.
m. 80 b.

cittie, and heretofore demised to alderman John Laney, 1659.
deceased, at the yearelie rent of tenn shillings, sterling,
which was the auncient rent, and alsoe payinge yearelie
unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge one
couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu Capons.
thereof at Christmas yearelie, at the election of the said
Maior for the time beinge, hee, the said John Everton,
surrendringe upp unto this cittie the former lease and
intrest in the premises, and paying all such arreares of
rent as are due thereuppon; with such other clauses,
covenants and condicions therein to be inserted as Mr.
Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[8.] That John Nicholas, Arthur Harvy, John
Harrison, William Crosse, and Henry Hicks, inhabitants
of Lazie Hill, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninetie Lazie hill.
and nine yeares, to beginn from Michaelmas next, uppon
all that parte of the Strand as lyeth from the end of Strand.
William Reasons house unto Mr. Cottles house, neere the
forte there latelie builte at Lazie Hill aforsaid, unto the Fort.
lowe water marke (except what thereof is already leased Low water
mark.
to the forsaid Arthur Harvy), at the yearelie rent of tenn
pounds, sterling, over and above all contribucion and other
chardges whatsoever, and alsoe payinge yearelie unto the
Maior of this cittie for the time beinge sixe couple of fatt
capons, or five shillings sterling, in monney for everie Capons.
couple thereof in lieu thereof at Christmas yearelie, at
the election of the said Maior for the time beinge; and
likewise the repaireinge and keepinge in repaire the Repair.
breaches of the sea into the highway there; with such Breaches
of sea.
other clauses, covenants and condicions to bee inserted in
the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. Provided
that the said parte of the Strande hereby demised
(except before excepted), contayneinge in length four-
score perches, and in breadth (over and above two
perches to bee lefte there alonge for the highway) to the Highway.
Measure-
ment.
lowe water marke eight perches, in the admeasurement
of which fourscore and eight perches is included soe

1659. much of the said Strande as is leased unto the forsaide Roll xiii.
m. 80 b.
 Harvy. Arthur Harvy by this cittie bee wonne in and secured
 within seaven yeares from Michaelmas next, or otherwise
 the forsaide lease to bee voyde, at the election of the cittie.
- Browne. [9.] That Captaine James Browne shall have a lease,
 for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn at
 Michaelmas last past, uppon two roomes over Saint
 Saint James' Gate. James Gate, contayneinge eightene foote square within
 the walls and seaven foote at the entrance in at the
 staire foote doore of the said gate in breadth, and in
 length tenn foote, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings,
 sterling, and alsoe payinge yearelie unto the Maior of this
 cittie for the time beinge one couple of capons, or five
 shillings, sterling, in monney, in lieu thereof at
 Christmas yearelie, at the election of the said Maior for
 the time beinge; with such other clauses, covenants and
 condicions to be inserted therein as Mr. Recorder shall
 thinke fitt.
- Howard. [10.] Whereas Thomas Howard, marchant, preferred
 petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that Charles
 Andrewes. Andrews, marchant, and hee, the said Thomas Howard,
 were graunted by this cittie a lease, for the tearme of
 Little Butter lane. sixtie and one yeares, uppon a plott of ground in little m. 81.
 Butter lane, Dublin, which lease hath not hitherto beene
 taken out, and that the petitioner hath sithence the said
 demise graunted as aforsaid paied the rent reserved on
 the premises, and that the said Charles Andrewes
 neglected to take out the said lease; the petitioners
 therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt unto
 him, the said Thomas Howard, a lease on the premises
 for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares at the former rent
 thereout reserved by the former graunt: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed uppon, by the said authoritie, that
 the petitioners request aforsaid shalbee and is by this
 present assemblie graunted.
- Williams. [11.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the
 said authoritie, that Lewys Williams, smith (for certaine

Roll xiii.
m. 81.

reasons and allegacions sett forth by him in his petition ^{1659.}
to this assemblie), his lease of sixtie and one yeares
graunted unto him uppon a parcell of land neere the
Longe Stone at Lazie Hill in Easter assemblie, 1653, <sup>Long stone.
Lazie Hill.</sup>
shall commence at Michaelmas, last past, accordinge to
the resurvey of the premises, as by an acte of the last
Michaelmas assemblie appeareth, hee paying all such
arreares of rent as are due for the time past.

[12.] Whereas Mary Rellicke, widdow, petitioned unto ^{Rellicke.}
the said assemblie, desiringe that a course might bee
layde downe in the same whereby shee and other
creditors might bee satisfied such monneyes as are due
unto them on Margery Daniel, one of the sixe poore ^{Daniel.}
widdowes relieved by this cittie, late deceased, out of the <sup>Poor
widdows.</sup>
last quarters allowance of almes due unto the said
Margerie, amountinge to fiftene shillings, sterling: it is
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that the treasurer of this cittie doe examine
the justice of the debt demaunded by the petitioner, and
findeinge the same due to pay it, and the remainder to
her successor.

[13.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
forsaid authoritie, that Mary Reily, widdow, shalbee and ^{Reilly.}
is hereby graunted to bee one of the sixe poore widdowes
to bee relieved by this cittie, and to have her yearelie <sup>Yearly
allowance
of alms.</sup>
allowance of almes as the rest of the said sixe poore
widdowes doe receive.

[14.] Mr. Robert Deey, alderman, is elected Maior of ^{Mayor.}
this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

[15.] Mr. Luke Lowther and Mr. Edward Twelves are ^{Sheriffs.}
elected Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fine <sup>Admis-
sions to
franchise.</sup>
of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: James Clifford,
chandler, James Loftus, weaver, Thomas Pierce, mason,
James Wheatley, “wyredrawer.” By special grace, and <sup>Wire-
drawer.</sup>
on fine; Roger Jones, shoemaker. Admitted, on having
served apprenticeships: Walter Rowson, merchant,

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Joseph Carton, pewterer, Richard Connor, Richard Chancellor, shoemakers, John Elwoode, feltmaker, John Pue, glazier, Christopher Fulshagh, smith. As children of freemen: Elizabeth Plunckett, spinster, Thomas Bird, trunkmaker.

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m. 82.

1659, May 13.

m. 81.

Lord Lieu-
tenant.Defence
against
Irish.

Regiments.

Commis-
sioners for
militia.

Trials.

Offences.

Soldiers.

Limits.

Orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this present assemblie, sheweinge that his excellencie the lord lieutenant¹ desired this cittie to bee putt into a posture of defence against the Irish, and that in order thereunto a course might bee layde downe therein, whereby his excellencies desire herein might bee answered: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that in pursuance of his excellencie the lord lieutenants directions in order to the securitie of the inhabitants of this cittie from any accompte which may bee made by the Irish, it is desired that it may bee imparted to his excellencie that for the end aforsaid the inhabitants of the said cittie bee formed into two regiments, the one within the cittie, contayneinge nine companies, and the other in the suburbes, contayneinge tenn companies, and that for commaundinge the said regiments the parties whose names are unto the said petition annexed bee appointed officers, and that it bee desired of his excellencie that the Maior, recorder, Sheriffes, aldermen, and such of the cittie commission officers as hee shall thinke fitt, may bee commissioners for the militia, that the persons that shalbee mustred shall not bee tryed but by their owne militia, nor by them but for such offences as they shall committ as souldiers, and not to bee commaunded further than the liberties and line without their owne consent.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned m. 81 b.

¹ Henry Cromwell.

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m. 81 b.

unto the said assemblie, desiringe that a course might bee 1659.

layde downe therein for present satisfaction to bee made

for the reparacion of the leades of the Tholsell: it is Leads of Tholsel.

therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid

authoritie, that forasmuch as the chardges in the

repaireinge of the said leades have beene examined, and Repairs.

that the same appeares to amount unto seaventie pounds,

sterling, that the said sunme of seaventie pounds bee

paied unto John Sanderton, plumber, who did the said Sanderton, plumber.

workē, by the threasurer of this cittie, by warrant from

Mr. Maior.

in. 83.

1659. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine

of the commons preferred peticion unto this assemblie,

sheweinge that by the laudable custome of this cittie the

franches thereof are usuallie ridden everie three yeares

which in course cometh this present year, to bee ridden Riding of franchises.

by the Maior for the time beinge; and forasmuch as the

chardge incident thereunto hath beene defrayed by this Charge.

cittie, the said commons therefore humblie prayed the

said assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby

the usuall chardge of rideinge the said franchises might

bee paied to the said Maior: it is therefore ordered and

agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie,

that the said Maior bee allowed for rideinge the franchises Allowance to Mayor.

aforesaid seaven pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, to

bee paied by the threasurer of this cittie on the Maiors

warrant.

[2.] Whereas John Nicholas, John Harrison, William Crosse, and Henry Hicks, inhabitants of Lazie Hill, Lazie Hill.

petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that they

had graunted unto them and Arthur Harvy, another Harvy.

inhabitant alsoe of Lazie Hill, by an acte of the last

Easter assemblie, a lease for the tearme of ninetie and

nine yeares, to commence at Michaelmas next, uppon all

that parte of the Strand as lyeth from the end of Strand.

1659.
William
Reason.
Cottle.

William Reasons house unto Mr. Cottles house, at Lazie Hill aforsaid; and forasmuch as the petitioners doe

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m. 83.

humblie conceave (for certaine reasons) that it is not convenient that they all should joyne in one lease for the same, but that it bee divided betweene them, and that everie one of them may have soe much proporcion of the said Strand as lyeth and is opposite unto his house, and such other ground or land as everie one of them respectivelie holdeth and enjoyeth, and a lease to bee made unto everie one of them for the said proporcion accordinge to the forsaid graunte, with an equall division of the yearelie rent of tenn pounds reserved on the premises; the petitioners therefore humbly desired that a course might bee setled in this assemblie for dividinge betweene them the forsaid parte of the Strand graunted as aforsaid, and that their leases thereuppon bee made accordinglie, and that in everie of the said leases a clause of generall warrantie against all manner of persons might bee inserted, for that the lord Docwra¹ his heiresses doe clayme the said Strand to belonge unto them: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that there be respective leases made to the petitioners as is desired, with a speciall warrantie, they gettinge Arthur Harvys consent thereunto; with such ordinarie clauses as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt, soe as the rent bee reserved over and above contribution and all other chardges.

Docwra.
Heiresses.

Daniel
Huchinson.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the said authoritie, that Mr. Daniel Huchinson, alderman, shall (for and in consideracion of the summe of fourscore pounds, sterling, fine, by him to bee paid unto the threasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie) have a lease, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn from the feast of Easter, one thowsand, six

¹ See vol. iii., p. 182. On the death in 1639 of Theodore Docwra, second baron of Culmore, that title became extinct.

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m. 83.

hundred and sixtie, uppon a small plott of ground ^{1659.}
scituatt in Saint Thomastreete, in parte whereof the said ^{Saint}
Daniel Huchinson hath latelie builde a small bricke house, ^{Thomas'}
wherein one Jennett Horish, widdow, lately dwelled, the ^{street.}
residue thereof beinge then in the tenure of George ^{Horish.}
Moore, butcher, deceased, which small plott of ground ^{Moore.}
containeth in length from north to south thirtie foure
yards, and in breadth from east to west seaventeene
yards, at the yearelie rent of thirtie two shillings, ster-
ling. And it is further ordered and agreed uppon, by
the authoritie aforsaid, that the said Daniel Huchinson
shall have a lease for the forsaid tearme of sixtie and
one yeares, to beginn at the feast of Easter aforsaid, one
thowand, six hundred and sixtie, on one wast plott of
ground in Cookestreete next adjoyneinge to and on the ^{Cooke}
east side of a bricke house latelie belonginge to John ^{street.}
Segrave, gentleman, deceased, which wast plott of ground ^{Segrave}
containeth in length from north to south eighteene yards,
and in breadth from east to west seaven yards, at the
yearelie rent of eleven shillings, sterling, all which
premises are graunted unto the said Mr. Daniel
Hutchinson, uppon consideracion of the reasons in his
petition preferred unto the said assemblie mencioned,
and the petitioners services therein expressed; and the
aforsaid rents are to bee paied over and above all con-
tribucions and other publike chardges; with such other ^{Public}
clauses, condicions and reservacions as Mr. Recorder shall ^{charges.}
thinke fitt. Provided alwayes that the plumber bee paied
his debt due to him on this cittie out of the forsaid fine.

[4.] That Patricke Tallant, gentlemen, shall have a ^{Patrick}
lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to commence ^{Tallant.}
from the feast of Michaelmas next ensueinge, uppon a
small parte of wast ground without Saint Nicholas gate, ^{Saint}
belonginge unto this cittie, and heretofore demised unto ^{Nicholas'}
John Bowth, one of the officers of this cittie, deceased, ^{gate.}
at the yearelie rent of foure shillings, sterling, beinge the ^{John}
auncient rent, over and above all contribucion and other ^{Bowth.}

1659.
Capons.

chardges, and alsoe payinge yearelie unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at Christmas yearly, at the election of the said Maior for the time beinge, hee, the said Patricke Tallant, surrendringe upp unto this cittie the former lease and intrest in the premises, and payinge forthwith all such arreares of rent as are due thereuppon; with such other clauses, covenants and condicions therein to bee inserted as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. Roll xiii.
m. 83.

Smith,
sergeant
at mace.

[5.] That Edward Smith, one of the sergeants at mace in this cittie, shalbee and is hereby removed from his said place, for extortion done by him in executinge his said place.

Tyle.

[6.] That Richard Tyle shall have the place of one of the sergeants at mace in this cittie, which Edward Smith had, with all the perquisitts thereunto belonginge, duringe the pleasure of this cittie, hee puttinge in good securitie for saveinge the Maior and Sheriffes of this cittie harmeles from any prejudice that may befall them through his defaulte.

Poor
widows.
Mary
Bourke.

[7.] That the place of one of the sixe poore widdowes of this cittie shalbee and is hereby graunted unto Mary Bourke, widdow, together with the quarters arreares of allowance of almes which should growe due to Mary Reily, widdow, deceased.

Crier of
Tholsell
court.

[8.] That Phillip Jones shall have the place of crier of the Tholsell courte of this cittie, dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, together with all the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonginge.

Porter of
Mayor's
house.

[9.] That Richard Bilbsby shall have the place and office of the porter of the Maiors house, dureinge the pleasure of the cittie, together with all the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonginge.

Admis-
sions to
franchise.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on fines: John Brookes, vintner, William Colles, trunk-maker, John Tunnell, oiner. As children of freemen: m. 82.

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Mary Hapenny, Mary Mylls, spinsters, Charles Lemmon. 1659.
In right of wife: . . . Wooley, tallow-chandler.¹

m. 85.

1659. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: Robert Deey, esquire. Sheriffs: John Price <sup>Mayor,
Sheriffs.</sup>
and Hugh Price.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. William Smith, alderman, is chosen treasurer of the cittie of ^{Treasurer.}
Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

[2.] Mr. John Eastwoode and Mr. Robert Arundell are <sup>Masters
of works.</sup>
chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Peter Wybrants, Mr. Raphael Hunt, Mr. Charles Forster, Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. John Preston and the rest of the aldermen, the Sheriffes, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. John Smith, the master of the smithes, the ^{Masters.}
master of the taylors, the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, are chosen auditors for the said cittie for the ^{Auditors.}
said yeare, whereof Mr. Maior and one of [the] Sheriffes to bee alwayes two.

[4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant unto Mr. Maior, ^{Ogden.}
peticioned unto this assemblie, praying (for certaine reasons in his said petition mencioned) to have, for his said masters use, towards the supportacion of the chardges of his said masters Maioraltie this yeare, the ^{Mayoralty.}
summe of two hundred pounds, sterling, as former Maiors have had: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that (for the reasons aforsaid) the petitioner shall have, for his said masters use, the summe of two hundred pounds, sterling, whereof fiftie pounds, sterling, in hand to bee paied by the treasurer on the Maiors warrant, and the rest thereof quarterlie.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the for-said authoritie (uppon the petition of the forsaid Amos Ogden), that the forsaid Maior of this cittie shall have ^{Mayor.}

¹ Other names are obliterated.

1659. towards the supportacion of the chardges of his forsaid Roll. xiii.
 Malt. Maioraltie the number of fiftie barrells of malte, accord- m. 85.
 inge the laudable custome of this cittie.

[6.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the
 authoritie aforsaid (uppon the petition of certaine of the
 commons, complaineinge of the greate abuses done by such
 as daylie goe through this cittie with iron bound cartes,
 Cartes. drayes and carrs in breakeinge upp of the pavements
 Pavements. thereof, and gatheringe much filthred and dunge therein),
 that, for reformacion of the forsaid abuses, that from the
 fourteenth day of Aprill next, one thowsand six hundred
 and sixtie, noe brewers, carmen or common carters
 Brewers. inhabitinge this cittie, the liberties or suburbes thereof,
 or others ordinarilie workeinge with such carrs, cartes or
 Drays. drayes within the cittie, shall imploy or use any carte,
 Wheels. carre or dray whose wheeles shalbee iron bound or shodd
 Iron. with iron; and if any of the parties aforsaid shall after
 the time aforsaid use or imploy any carre, carte or dray
 soe iron bound or shodd as aforsaid within the said cittie,
 that the partie or parties soe offendinge, for everie
 Penalty. time hee or they shall soe offend, shall forfeite
 the summe of five shillings, sterling, currant monney
 of and in England, to bee levyed of the goodes and
 chattells of the partie soe offendinge, by warrant of
 the Maior for the time beinge, by sale of the goodes
 of the parties offendinge, and after the said goodes shalbee
 sold, and the forfeiture paid, the surplusage of the
 monneyes to bee restored to whom it doth belonge, pro-
 vided that the forfeitures aforsaid bee disposed of, the
 one halfe to the churchwardens of the parish where the
 offence shalbee committed, for the use of the poore, and
 the other halfe to the person that shall informe of the
 said offence, and that this lawe bee forthwith published.

[7.] That Mr. Daniel Bellingham, alderman, shall have
 a lease, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to com-
 mence from the five and twentieth day of March, one
 thowsand six hundred and sixtie, uppon the house of the
 Belling-
 ham.

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m. 85.

courte of garde, neere Younges castle in Oxmanton, 1659.
contayneinge in length twentie yards, and in breadth five Court of
yards, at the yearelie rent of five pounds, sterling, over guard.
and above all contriucion, and a couple of fatt capons Young's
yearelie, to bee paied yearelie dureinge the said tearme Castle.
to the Maior of the cittie of Dublin for the time beinge, Oxmanton.
or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, and that hee
shall pay a nomine pene of thirtie shillings, to bee for- Fine.
feited for non-payment of the rent within sixe weekes
next after everie day of payment.

[8.] That Hugh Leeson, butcher, shall have a lease, for Leeson.
the tearme of sixtie and one years, to commence from
the feast of Easter next, one thowsand, six hundred and
sixtie, uppon two parcells of ground inclosed, scituatt in Oxmanton.
Oxmanton, lyeinge by the highway side leadeinge to
Clontarfe, and neere the place called the Bull parke there, Clontarf.
uppon one of which parcells of ground, contayneinge Bull park.
in breadth thirtie three yards at the east end thereof,
and seaventie eight yards in length, and in breadth at
the west end thereof twentie and eight yards, there stands
bullded two cabbins, and the other parcell of the said Cabins.
ground southwest adjoyneinge thereunto lyeth wast, con-
tayneinge eighteene yards in breadth at the upper end
thereof, and one hundred yards in length and sixteene
yards in breadth at the lower end thereof, at the yearelie
rent of seaven pounds, sterling, over and above all contri-
bucion, and a couple of fatt capons yearelie, to bee paied Capons.
yearelie dureinge the said tearme to the Maior of the Mayor.
cittie of Dublin for the time beinge, or five shillings,
sterling, in lieu thereof, and that hee shall, within seaven
yeares now next ensueing, build a house of a story and a Building.
halfe high of bricke or stone, and covered with slate or
tile on the premises, with a nomine pene of thirtie Brick.
shillings, sterling, to bee forfeited for non-payment of Stone.
the rent within sixe weekes after everie day of payment. Fine.

[9.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
peticion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that this

m. 85 b.

1659.
City.
Taxes.
Loan
moneys.
Rebellion.
Debts.

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Lessees.

Fines.

Leases in
reversion.

Rents.

Mortgages.

Tenants of
city.

Redemp-
tion.

Committee.

eittie, by reason of the very greate taxes and loane monneyes which they expended in the time of the late rebellion, contracted many debts on the said eittie, two thowsand pounds, whereby they were inforced to morgadge theire lands; and forasmuch as there are many lessees of this eittie lands and houses who for leases in revercions of theire severall holdings would give considerable fines, which would bee a meanes in some measure to disingage the said debts contracted as aforesaid, the said commons therefore prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course that (notwithstandinge the lawe made that noe leases in reversion should bee graunted untill within three yeares before the expiracion of the lease in beinge) the said leases in reversion may bee graunted for considerable fines, not abateinge the rents reserved unto this eittie; and this assemblie haveinge taken into theire consideration the greate debts which are contracted by the eittie, for which they have morgadged much of theire lands, and which cannott bee redeemed without ready monney, to the end the said debts may bee forthwith paid, and thereby the eittie rents may bee encreased by the rents now in morgadge, and that there beinge noe other visible way for raiseinge monneyes for doeinge thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the rents of the lands and houses of the eittie now in lease may bee considered, and that the tennants of the eittie lands and houses may be treated withall by such a committee as this assemblie shall appointe to raise fines for leases in reversion of theire severall holdings, not abateinge the present rents, out of which fines the eittie lands in morgadge may bee redeemed and theire debts paid, and thereby the eittie better enabled to defray theire publique chardges. The committee to bee Mr. Maior, the Sheriffes, the treasurer, and two such aldermen as Mr. Maior shall name, with foure of the commons such as the assemblie shall

Roll xiii.
m. 85 b. appointe, or five of them, whereof the Maior and one of 1659.
the Sheriffes to bee two, and what proceedinge they
make thereon to reporte the same to the next assemblie.
The two aldermen named by Mr. Maior are Mr. Ridgley, Aldermen.
Hatfield and Mr. George Gilbert; the foure of the
commons appointed by the assemblie are Mr. Enoch Commons.
Reader, Mr. Thomas Haward, Mr. William Hill,
upholster, and Mr. John Sergeant.

m. 87. Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and Admis-
on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Anne sions to
Desminieres, spinster, Pierce Holland, tailor. By special franchise.
grace, and on fines: John Crane, smith, Henry Bull,
tallow-chandler, Thadee Cassie, carpenter. Admitted on
having served apprenticeships: Christopher Moreheade,
merchant, Francis Hartis, saddler, Edward Pickins,
skinner, Richard Harte, baker, Nicholas Harris, Chandler.
As children of freemen: Dorothy Astwoode, Thomas
Sutton, shoemaker.

m. 84. 1659, December 14.

Acts and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the
commons preferred petition unto this present assemblie,
sheweing that by reason of the unsetlednes of the
present times there may bee danger that the Irish Papists, Irish
and other common enemies,^{Papists.} may endeavour the ruine
and subversion of this cittie and destruction thereof, and
that a course might bee layde down therein, to putt the
inhabitants of this cittie, suburbes and liberties thereof
unto a posture of defence, to prevent the mischiefes
aforsaid: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie of the said assemblie, that, for the reasons
in the petition mencioned, and for secureinge of the
inhabitants of this cittie from any attempte which may
bee made by the Irish Papists and other common enemies, Defence of
that the inhabitants of the said cittie bee formed into two city.
Common
enemies.

¹ See page 162.

1659. Regiments. Companies.	regiments, the one within the cittie, contayneinge nine companies, and the other in the suburbes, contayneinge tenn companies, and that for commaunding the said regiments the parties whose names are unto the said	Roll xiii. m. 84.
Officers.	petieion annexed bee appointed officers for commaunding the said regiments, and that the persons that shalbee	
Enlistment.	inlisted shall not bee tryed but by their owne officers,	
Limitation.	nor by them but for such offencees as they shall comitt as souldiers, and not to bee commaunded further than	
Mayor.	their liberties and lyne; and the Maior for the time	
Commander in chief.	beinge bee commaunder in chiefe of the said regiments, and bee hereby authorised to issue all commissions to the	
Officers.	officers of the said regiments. The names of the forsaid officers appointed are these followinge, that is to say, Mr. Maior for the time beinge, eollonell; Mr. Ridgley Hatfield, liffennant collonell; Mr. Daniel Bellingham, major; Mr. George Gilbert, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. Samuel Saltonstall, Mr. Robert Loeke, Mr. Enoeh Reader and Mr.	
Regiment in city.	John Smith, eaptaines of the regiment within the cittie contayneinge nine companies; Mr. Richard Tighe, eollonell; Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, liffennant eollonell; Mr. John Cranwell, major; Mr. John* Eastwoode, Mr. Robert Arundell, Mr. William Cox, Mr. Thomas Pope, Mr. Thomas Jones, Mr. John Nicholas and Mr. Peter Warde,	
Regiment in suburbs.	eaptaines of the regiment in the suburbes of the forsaid cittie, contayneinge tenn companies, as aforesaid; and the respective collonells and eaptaines above named are to nominatt their owne officers. Mr. Daniel Huchinson is	
Horse.	appointed to bee eaptaine of the horse, who is to nominatt his owne officers likewise.	

Ralph
Allen.
Agent for
city.

[2.] Whereas alsoe eertaine of the eommons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that Ralph Allen hath beene appointed agent for this cittie for the reeoverie of their rents and arreares of rents, and prosecuting of suites for this cittie, which hath beene of very greate ehardge to the said cittie and noe benefitt; and forasmuch as the same is of noe advantage unto this cittie, and that

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hee, the said Ralph Allen, hath acted nothinge for the ^{1659.}
same sithence the dissolucion of the courts, the said ^{Courts.}
commons therefore prayed the said assemblie to give
order that the said Mr. Allen may bee dischargd from
the said imployment, and sithence the dissolucion of the
courts hee haveinge acted nothinge for the cittie, that hee
may receave noe satisfaction: it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said
Raph Allen bee dischargd from the imployment of agent ^{Discharge.}
of this cittie, and that sithence the dissolucion of the
courts hee receaved noe stipend, for that hee acted
nothinge for the cittie sithence the seaventh of May last.

m. 88.

1659-60. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1659.

1659-60.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie,
sheweinge that many leases of this cittie and other ^{Leases.}
evidences thereof have miscarried by lending out the ^{Evidences.}
originalls of the said leases and evidences, and not callinge
in for the same againe through the neglecte of such who ^{Neglect.}
formerlie had the keepinge of the said leases and
evidences, to the very greate prejudice of this cittie and
losse of the revenue thereof, for prevencion whereof for
the future the said commons humbly prayed this
assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby the
succeedinge Maiors, treasurers and Sheriffes of this
cittie may each of them have a key of the truncke and ^{Trunk,}
chests wherein the said writeings are kept, to the end
that noe writeings may be delivered but by the consent
of the said Maior, treasurer and Sheriffes, and that
onelie coppies may bee delivered out of the said writeings ^{Copies.}
by such as should bee appointed by the forsaid assemblie
for that purpose: it is therefore ordered and agreed
uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie (uppon
consideracion had of the forsaid petition, and for the
securitie of the cittie evidences), that the said evidences ^{Custody.}
bee putt into such a truncke with such keyes as are ^{Keys.}

1659-60. desired; the said keyes to bee one of them in the custodie of the Maior, another with the Sheriffes, and the third in the custodie of the treasurer for the time beinge, and that a fourth key bee in the custodie of the clarke of the Tholsell for the time beinge. Roll xiii.
m. 88.

[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid (uppon a petition of certaine of the Leases, said commons), that noe lease or leases for the future shalbee graunted of any lands belonginge to this cittie without these clauses (that is to say, over and above all Contributions, and country taxes or chardges whatsoever, and a nomine pene uppon non payment of the rent or rents in the said lease or leases on the dayes therein mencioned) bee in the said lease or leases inserted.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that much of the cittie lands and houses are concealed from them these many yeares past, and noe endeavours used by this cittie for the discoverie thereof, to the greate decay of the revenue of this cittie, and if not in time prevented will tend to the absolute losse of the said lands and houses; in consideracion whereof the said commons therefore humbly desired the said assemblie that a course might bee layde downe therein for a committee to bee appointed for the perambulateinge of the Perambulation. Discovery. lands, and for the better discoverie and findeinge out such lands and houses as belonge unto this cittie, and that the said perambulacion might bee on Munday and Tuesday in Whitsondaie weeke, and that the said committee might reporte and retorne unto the Maior and table of aldermen, at their next meetinge on Munday next after the said Whitsonday weeke, their proceedings therein: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie (uppon consideracion had of the said petition), that Mr. Maior, with the advise of the recorder, doe keepe a courte of survey to ascertain the meares and bounds of the cittie lands,

Roll xiii.
m. 88. and what concealments and intrusions are made of or 1659-60.
on the citties rights.

[4.] Whereas likewise certaine of the said commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that the tanners of this cittie, or some of them, and others exercisinge the trade or misterie of tanninge ^{Tanners.} leather, doe putt theire keeves or fatts¹ in tannhills, whereby leather doth receave unnaturall heates, and doe use hott woozes² in tanninge of leather, the which unlawfull practise is prejudiciall unto the commonwealth, and ought not to bee used in any well governed corporacion; and forasmuch as there is noe publike market place appointed in this cittie for vieweing and assayinge of leather, whereby the tanners and others ^{Assay of leather.} exercisinge the trade of tanninge doe take advantage and thereby are imboldened to putt to sale theire deceitfull leather in theire houses, yards, backsides and other obscure places, not dareinge to adventure theire said leather to the viewe of the markett, and that for remedy of the forsaid frauds and deceipts used and ^{Frauds.} practised in leather, the said commons humbly prayed this assemblie to appointe a markett place where tanned ^{Market place.} leather shalbee putt to sale as it is in London and other citties and townes in England, and that noe leather bee ^{England.} putt to sale in the markett of this cittie, or elsewhere ^{Sale.} within the said cittie or liberties thereof, but it shall first bee assayed and tryed, and then sealed with the cittie ^{City seal.} seale by an officer appointed, which officer is to have paied him for his service the usuall [fee] formerlie accustomed to bee paied, and that there may bee two markett dayes weekelie appointed as it is in London: it ^{Market days.} is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie (for preventing the inconveniences and deceipts aforesaid), that all such tanned leather which shalbee sold in this cittie shalbee brought everie Munday

¹ Vats.

² Wooze, or ouse, bark wetted or washed, steeped or soaked in water.

1659-60.
Corn
market.

View.

Assay
master.

Penalty.

Daniel
Huchinson,

Winetavern
street.
Scarlett
lane.

Rebuilding.

and Friday weekly into the corne markett, and there exposed for sale, and in noe other place, and that the said tanned hides shalbee first viewed and assayed by the assay master of this cittie in the said markett place before the same shalbee sold, and noe where else ; and if any tanner or any other shall expose any tanned leather to sale in any other place of the said cittie, or before it shalbe sealed, that the parties soe exposeinge the said leather to sale shall forfeite the somme of two shillings and sixe pence, sterling, for everie hide which shalbee exposed to sale in any other place of the said cittie and liberties thereof, or not sealed as aforesaid ; the said fines to bee levyed of the goodes of the partie offendinge, on the Maiors warrant, by sale of the said goodes, restoreinge the overplus to the owner ; the said penaltie to bee disposed for the use of the poore of the said cittie. m. 88 b.

[5.] Whereas Daniel Huchinson, alderman, hath petitioned unto the said assemblee, sheweinge that whereas hee hath an intrest of an old house in Wintaverne streete, called the cittie bakehouse, and parte of Scarlett lane, for which hee payeth five pounds and five shillings, sterling, yearelie rent, and hath paid his rent fullie for the same to the treasurer of this cittie ; and forasmuch as the tearme of yeares of his intrest therein is neere expired, and hee beinge willinge to rebuild the said house with bricke, stone and timber, it beinge much decayed, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed that a new lease might bee graunted unto him of the said house for ninetie nine yeares at the rent aforesaid, hee surrendringe his former intrest therein : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that it bee referred to the committee for contractinge for leases in reversion to survey the said house, called the cittie bakehouse, and the land of Scarlett lane adjoyneinge thereunto, and to contracte with the petitioner for them accordinge to the acte of assemblee in that case made.

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m. 88.

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m. 88 b.

[6.] Whereas alsoe sir James Barry, knight, did ^{1659-60.} petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that his late ^{Sir James Barry.} father, Mr. Richard Barry, alderman, deceased, had a lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, beginninge at Easter, one thowsand six hundred, fortie and three, of a wast peece of ground next adjoyneinge to ^{Fyans castle.} Fyans castle and the staires case thereof, at the rent of five shillings, sterling, per annum, which lease his said father neglected to take forth ; and for that the petitioner is willinge to improve the same, hee therefore humbly desired the said assemblie to confirme unto him the said lease made to his said father for the tearme of yeares and rent aforsaid : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner, first payinge the arreares, shall have a lease for soe much of the remaynder of the said tearme as is unexpired on the premises, hee payinge the rent for the time to come, over and above all contribucion, with a nomine pene, with such other clauses, condicions and reservacions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that ^{Patrick Tallant.} Patricke Tallant, gentleman, shall have a lease for the tearme of fortie and one yeares, commenceinge at Michaelmas last, uppon one messuage, with the appurtenances, in ^{High street.} Highstreete, in the parish of Saint Audeons, contayneinge in the front thereof, from east to west, sixe yards, and in length, from north to south to Saint Audeons church, ^{St. Audoen's church.} twentie five yards and a halfe, and in breadth, in the backe parte thereof, sixe yards, at the yearelie rent of six pounds, sterling, over and above all contribucion and other chardges, and alsoe payinge yearelie unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge one cowple of fatt capons or five shillings, sterling, in lieue thereof at Christmas yearelie, at the election of the said Maior for the time beinge. Provided that the said Patricke Tallant doe recover the possession of the said house

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Common-
wealth.

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m. 88 b.

from the commonwealth at his owne proper costs and chardges for and on the behalfe of this cittie, and that hee doe pay a nomine pene of twentie shillings, to bee forfeited for nonpayment of the said yearelie rent within sixe weekes next after everie day of payment; with such other clauses and covenants to bee inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[8.] Whereas likewise John Nicholas, John Harrison, Lazie Hill, William Crosse and Henry Hicks, inhabitants of Lazie Hill, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that by an acte of the last Midsommer assemblie¹ it was ordered, uppon the division made by Strand, the petitioners of that parte of the Strande graunted them for tearme of yeares by this cittie, that there should bee a respective lease made unto each of them of soe much of the said Strande as is divided unto Division, each of them, with an equall division of the yearelie rent of tenn pounds, sterling, thereon reserved, they gettinge Arthur Harvy's consent thereunto; the said petitioners therefore prayed this assemblie to confirme the forsaid acte of Midsommer assemblie last, and that Leases, their leases bee made unto them thereuppon accordinglie: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioners, gettinge Arthur Harvy's consent, shall have respective leases made of the lands in the petition mencioned to them severallie, payinge amongst them the yearelie rent Rent, agreed on over and above all contribucion and other Contribu- tion, charges, with a nomine pene of twentie shillings, sterling, on each of them, to bee forfeited for nonpayment of each of their said respective yearelie rents within sixe weekes next after everie day of payment; with such other clauses, covenants and conditions therein to bee inserted as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt;

¹ See p. 163.

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m. 88 b.

provided alwayes that they doe take out all their 1659-60.
leases at one time.

[9.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that James Wheatly shall have
the place of one of the waterbailiffes of this cittie <sup>Wheatly,
water
bailiff.</sup>
(which William Barlowe, late waterbailiffe, hath
surrendred upp) dureinge the pleasure of this cittie,
with all the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonging; ;
provided that the said James Wheatly doe performe
covenants with the said William Barlowe, and that ^{Barlowe.}
hee doe provide a boate for the better carryinge on
of his said place, and that all such measures as hee ^{Measures.}
shall give out to measure withall, hee, the said James
Wheatly, shall cause the said measures to bee hooped ^{Hoops.}
with iron hoops, one in the toppe and another in
the bottome.

[10.] That George Russell, now prisoner in Newgate <sup>Russell.
Newgate.</sup>
(for certaine reasons sett forth in his petition to the
said assemblie), and in consideracion of the petitioners
povertie and suffringe in prison, shalbee remitted the
fine of five pounds, sterling, imposed on him in the
last Michaelmas quarter sessions, he acknowledgeinge
his offence in open courte.

[11, 12, 13.] Samuel Weston, John Forrest and Ralph ^{Aldermen.}
Vizard are chosen aldermen in the places of Thomas
Wakefield, Sankey Sullyard and Robert Bennett, alder-
men, lately deceased.

Admissions to franchise:—By special grace, and on <sup>Admis-
sions to
franchise.</sup>
fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Thomas
Stockton, esquire, Henry Verschoyle, distiller, Daniel
Blackmore, tailor. Admitted, on having served
apprenticeships: Richard Warren, merchant, Jeffery
Davis, currier. In right of wife: Richard Tyle.

1659-60. February 18.

Act and constitution:—Whereas certaine of the
commons preferred petition to this presente assembly,

m. 86.

1659-60. shewinge that sir Charles Coote, knight and baronet, Roll xiii
m. 86.
Sir Charles
Coote. lord president of the province of Connaught, and

Officers the rest of the officers of the armye present att Dublin,
of army. have, by their declaration, bearinge date the sixteenth
Declara- daie of February, one thousand six hundred fiftie
tion. and nyne, declared for the rights of a free parliament,

Parliament. and therefore prayed that the saide assembly would
bee pleased to joyne with the sayde sir Charles Coote,
and the saide officers, in the saide declaration, on
consideration of the saide petition, the saide assembly
takinge into their consideration that a full and free
England. parliament in England is the birthright of the people
of England, and in whose prosperitie or adversitie
the saide Maior, Sheriffs, commons and citzizens are
sure to bee sharers: it is therefore declared, by the
authority of the said assembly, that they doe concurr
with the saide sir Charles and the saide officers in the
saide declaration, and doe owne the same, and that
they will (God willinge) adhere to the saide sir Charles
and the reste of the sayde officers soe declareinge.

1660. Memorandum:—That the fourth day of May, in the m. 89.
yeare of our Lord God 1660, beinge the second Friday
next after the feast of Easter¹ in the said yeare, an
assemblie beinge then to bee held accordinge to the
auncient custome of this cittie of Dublin, the said day
was putt apart by authoritie, and to bee kept and observed
as a thanksgiveinge day for the restauration of his
Thanks- majestie to his crowne; and thereuppon the said
giving. assemblie was adjourned untill the third Friday next
Restora- after the forsaid feast of Easter, beinge the eleventh
tion of day of May aforsaid, on which eleventh day of May
Charles II. in the year aforsaid the said assemblie was then fully
holden.

1660.

1660. May 11.

m. 89 *h*.

Acts orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine

¹ Easter-day, 22 April, 1660.

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m. 89 b.

of the commons preferred petition unto this present 1660.
 assemblie, sheweinge that there is greate expectacion
 of his majesties speedie comeinge into England, which,
 as it is a greate cause of joy to all his loving subjects,
 soe it is convenient that everie of them should expresse
 their joy to the utmost of their abilities, and that
 this cittie that hath beene alwayes firme and faithfull
 to the English interest, and hath likewise beene very ^{English} interest.
 instrumentall in defendinge itself from and against the
 Irish rebels, soe that it is still kept for his majesties ^{Irish rebels.}
 use and service, and may not bee the last in their
 expressions of their good affection; the said commons
 therefore humbly prayed that some fitt persons might
 bee named by this assemblie to bee speedilie employed
 into England in the name of this cittie to congratulate ^{England.}
 his royall majesties happie returne, and to expresse the <sup>Congratula-
tion.</sup>
 heartie affection of this cittie: it is therefore ordered
 and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present
 assemblie, on the consideracion of the contents of the
 forsaid petition, that two persons bee sent from and in
 the name of this cittie, and the inhabitants thereof, to
 attend his majestie, and to manifest their detestacion
 of his fathers murther, and to expresse their joy in his ^{Charles I.}
 majesties happie accesse unto his undoubted right of
 succession to his said royall father in the imperiall
 crowne and regiment of those his native kingdomes, and
 to acknowledge his declaracion sent unto the two houses <sup>Declara-
tion.</sup>
 of Parliament in England to bee a royall and gracious
 condescension to all his loveinge subjects of this cittie,
 and to manifest their desires to become partakers of his
 gracious offers to all his loveinge subjects therein
 contained; and that Alderman William Smith and ^{Smith.}
 Alderman Peter Wybrants bee employed from this cittie ^{Wybrants.}
 to present the said declaration to his sacred majestie.

[2.] Mr. Huybert Adryan, alderman, is chosen Maior ^{Mayor.}
 of this cittie of Dublin for the next ensueinge yeare.

[3.] Mr. Enoch Reader, merchant, and Mr. Thomas Sheriffs,

1660. Jones, gentleman, are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare. Roll xiii.
m. 89 b.

Admis-
sions to
franchise. Admissions to franchise:—By speeial graee, and on fine of a pair of gloves to the Mayoress: Edward Noland. By speeial graee, and on fines: Thomas Parnell, goldsmith, Gideon Mils, ehandler, Nicholas Wray, turner, Raphael Hollingsworth, William Thropp, smiths. Admitted, on having served apprenticeships: Daniel Byrne, Patriek Clarke, coopers, Anthony Pierson, shoemaker, Timothy Wood, carpenter, James Conly, joiner, Thadee Walsh, helier. As daughters of freemen: Anne Bunfan, Charity Roberts, spinsters. m. 87 b.

Goldsmith.

1660 May 17.

Aets, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the eommons petieioned unto this present assemblie, sheweinge that forasmuch as his excellent majestie, Charles the second, by the graee of God kinge of England, Seotland, Fraunee and Ireland, by his declaracion, under his signe manuall and privie signett, dated at his courte at Breda the fourth and fourteenth of Aprill, one thowsand, six hundred and sixtie, and in the twelveth yeare of his raigne, and sent to the house of peeres and eommons in England, and published by order of the first of this instant month of May, did declare and graunt a free and generall pardon to all his subjeetes, of what degree or qualitie soever, who within fortie dayes after the publishinge thereof should lay hold uppon his sacred majesties graee and favour, and should by any publique aete declare the same, and returne to the loyaltie and obedience of good subjeetes (except only such persons as should bee hereafter execepted by parliament), as by the said declaracion may appeare; and therefore the said commons humblie prayed that a course might bee layde downe in the said assemblie, whereby the petitioners elayme and acceptance of his said majesties m. 90.

Charles II.

Declara-
tion.
Breda.

Pardon.

Loyalty.
Obedience.

Acceptance.

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m. 90. 7.

most gracious pardon may bee received as their 1660.
 publique acte, and entred amonge the records of this Public Act,
 cittie: in pursuance of which petition, it is ordered
 and hereby declared, by the authoritie of the said
 assemblie, that the Maior, Sheriffes, commons and
 cittizens of the cittie of Dublin doe lay hold on his
 majesties gracious and free offer and pardon held
 out to his subjectes, by his declaracion under his
 said signe manuell and privie signett, at his courte
 at Breda, dated the fourth and fourteenth of Aprill,
 one thowsand, six hundred and sixtie, and in the
 twelveth yeare of his raigne, and doe desire that
 their clayne and acceptance of his sacred majesties
 gracious pardon may bee recorded as publique acte,
 and entred amongst the records of this cittie. City
 records.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
 petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas,
 by an acte of assemblie dated the eleventh of this instant
 May, 1660, Mr. Alderman Smith and Mr. Alderman Smith.
 Wybrants were appointed by this cittie to congratulate Wybrants.
 his majesties happie accesse and returne to his crowne, Congratu-
 and to represent unto his sacred majestie the affaires of lation.
 this cittie, and for the confirmation of the charters and Charles II.
 priviledges thereof by his said majestie, as by the said City.
 acte may more fullie appeare; the said commons Charters.
 therefore humbly desired, for the more effectuell Priviledges.
 carryinge on of the said affaires for the good and
 benefitt of this cittie, that sir Maurice Eustace, knight, Sir Maurice
 a freeman of this cittie, might bee desired to joyne with Eustace.
 the said aldermen in the said affaires, and that an
 allowance bee layed downe by this assemblie towards Allowance.
 their chardge in the said matters: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid,
 that the summe of foure hundred and fiftie pounds bee
 forthwith raised on the respective corporacions, and Assess-
 paid in unto Alderman Daniel Bellingham for the uses ment.
 aforesaid, and that the Maior, the Sheriffes, Alderman Corpora-
 tions.
 Belling-
 ham.

1660. Huchinson, Alderman Gilbert and such of the commons Roll xiii. m. 90.
 as this assemblie shall thinkc fitt, bee added unto them,
 the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwayes two,
 callinge to theire assistance the master of such
 Applot- corporacion for the applottinge of the said summe on
 ment, the said corporacions, the said Mr. Maior, the Sheriffes,
 Alderman Huchinson and Alderman Gilbert, and any
 of the commons nominated, to bee alwayes fine.

The names of the commons nominated and added
 Names of by the said assemblie unto the committee aforsaid are
 committee, these followeing, that is to say, for the Trinitie Guilde:
 Corpora- Mr. Enoch Reader and Mr. Lewys Desminieres; for
 tions, the corporacion of taylors: George Surdevele; for
 Smiths, the corporacion of smithes: William Hill; for the
 Barber- corporacion of barberchirurgeons: Thomas Kirkham;
 surgeons, for the corporacion of bakers: Thomas Sharpe; for the
 Bakers, corporacion of butchers: Hugh Leeson; for the
 Butchers, corporacion of carpenters: Luke Lowther; for the
 Carpenters, corporacion of shoemakers: Laurence Cosgrave; for the
 Shoemakers, corporacion of cookes: Robert Shepby; for the
 Cooks, corporacion of saddlers: Raph Kenny; for the
 Saddlers, corporacion of tanners: Robert Gunn; for the
 Tanners, corporacion of tallow chandlers: William Thurgood;
 Tallow- for the corporacion of glovers: Anthony Derry; for
 chandlers, the corporacion of weavers: Robert Westberry; for the
 Glovers, corporacion of shearmen: Edward Batho; and for the
 Weavers, corporacion of goldsmithes: Richard Lord.
 Shearmen, Goldsmiths,

XIV.—ASSEMBLY ROLL,¹ 1660—1669.

[1.] To the kings most excellent majestie the humble Roll xiv. m. 2.
 Petition to affectionatt and loyal petition and addresse of the Maior,
 Charles II. Sheriffes, commons and cittizens of your majesties cittie
 and chamber of Dublin:

Wee, your majesties most affectionatt and loyall
 subjects, lookeinge backe on the horrid murther
 committed on your royall father of most glorious

¹ For contents of m. 1, see p. 192.

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memorie, our late dread soveraigne, and the manifold evils attendinge thereuppon, as necessarie effects of soe prodigious a cause, tendinge to the enslaveinge of our persons, violatinge our properties and (which is worse than the rest) to the subversion of our religion by an inundation of errors, heresies and blasphemies, and considering that when wee were past hope (in humane apprehension) of rescue from soe great evils, the Lorde hath beene pleased in greate mercie to incline your majesties hart to thoughtes of mercie and clemencie to your subjectes, and to bow their harts as the hart of one man to submitt to your most gracious government as their liege lord and soveraigne; wee cannott but manifest our abundant comforte, contentment and gladnes of hart for those blessings which wee assure ourselves wee shall enjoy under your government, and doe praise God for soe great and undeserved a mercie, assureinge your majestie that as wee have already laide hold on the first opportunitie offred unto us, in takeinge upp armes by puttinge our lives into our hands, have contributed to the security of this cittie for your majesties use, soe wee wilbee ready for time to come to lay downe our lives and fortunes at your royall feete in defending your royall person and royall rights from violence and injurie; beseechinge your sacred majestie to esteeme your humblest suppliants amongst the best though not the richest of your subjects, and to lend a benigne and gracious eare unto such requests as your suppliants, by their agentes in their behalfe, shall present unto you, and they, accordinge to their bounden dutie, shall pray for your longe life and prosperus raigne over them. Given under the seale of the cittie of Dublin, this sixe and twentieth day of May, in the yeare of our Lord God, 1660.

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Petitions to
Charles II.

[2.] To the kings most excellent majestie the humble petition and desire of the Maior, Sheriffes, commons and cittizens of the cittie of Dublin;

1660.
Petition to
Charles II.

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m. 2.

Most dread soveraigne,—Wee, your faithfull and loveinge subjects, beinge aboundantie sensible of the greate and manifold calamities that have for the space of nineteene yeares last past afflicted your subjects of this kingdome, and findeinge that God in greate mercie hath putt an end unto all those miseries by your miraculous restitution to your regall government over us, are desirous that all good and Christian wayes may bee used to prevent those inconveniences that may reduce us to the confusions that lately wee were in, and to suppress division and discord amongst ourselves, which wee foresee is daylie promoted by men professinge the same faith in Christ, yett rigidly adheareinge to their different principles in matters ecclesiasticall, discipline, and divine worshipp, to the greate hazzard of our present happie condition, if not prevented by your majesties pietie and prudence. May it therefore please your majestie to signifie your royall pleasure that the forme of church government and divine worshipp which was used in your fathers and grandfathers dayes in this kingdome, and which is already established here by lawe, bee declared to bee practised publiquelie amongst us, to which the ministers of the gospell of Christ may conforme themselves, and wee doubt not but thereby the mischiefes that dividinge spiritts would foment amongst us wilbee prevented, and thereby become Christians more charitable each to other, which is the humble desire of us, your most affectionatt and obedient subjects, who doe daylie pray for your majesties longe, peaceable and prosperous raigne over us, and that under your government wee may live a peaceable and quiett life in all godliness and honestie. Enrouled this 7th day of August, 1660.

Church
govern-
ment.

Enrolment.

Charles II.
to Robert
Deey,
Mayor of
Dublin.

[3.] To our trustie and welbeloved Robert Deey, esquire, m. 2 b. Maior of the cittie of Dublin, in our kingdome of Ireland, and to the Sheriffes, commons and cittizens of the same, and to everie of them.

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m. 2 b.

Charles Rex,—Trustie and welbeloved, wee greete 1660.
you well. Wee havinge receaved soe greate and ample
testimonie of the loyaltie of our cittie of Dublin, whereof
you are Maior this yeare, by our right trustie and right
entirelye beloved cousin and counsellor, James marques
of Ormonde, lord steward of our houshold, and your
owne indefatigablenes in promotinge our service there
and all thinges tendinge thereunto, that wee cannot but
putt a very just estimatt uppon that our cittie, and in
particuler on yourselfe, and shalbee ready to manifest
the same uppon all fittinge occasions, whereof you may
rest assured. Your first petition preferred unto us did
concerne the thinges that are Cæsars, and your later
desires that those thinges may be restored to God which
belonge to God, in which you shewe yourselves not onelie
to bee faithfull subjects but good Christians; for which
wee returne you our thanks, and doe assure you that
wee shalbee ready to further your desires in both, soe
farre as may stand with the condicions of the times and
exigence of our affaires at present; whereof you neede
not doubt, and that wee have a particuler respecte for
yourselfe for your zeale and care of both.—Given at our
courte at Whitehall, the 16th of July, 1660.—By his
majesties commaund,—Edward Nicholas.—Enrouled this Enrolment,
17th day of August, 1660.

m. 3.

Memorandum: That the fourth Fridaie next after
[June 24] the feast of the Nativitie of St. John
Baptist, in the yeare of our Lord God 1660, and in the
twelveth yeare of the raigne of our soveraigne lord,
kinge Charles the second of England, Scotland, France
and Ireland, Robert Deey, esquire, Maior of the cittie of
Dublin, John Price and Hugh Price, Sheriffes of the said
cittie, these lawes, orders and constitucions followeing
were made and established in full assemblie then
holden:

[1.] Whereas certaine of commons petitioned unto this
assemblie, sheweinge that amongst the auncient and

1660.
Swearing of
freemen.

laudable customes of this cittie, freemen were to bee Roll xiv.
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sworne kneelinge before the Maior and Sheriffes of the

said cittie with theire armes in readines for the defence of the said cittie, and likewise to have the coppie of the oath attested under the registers hand: the said commons therefore humblie prayed this assemblie to order that noe freeman bee sworne before hee cometh with his armes in areadines, and bee sworne kneelinge, as it was in former times, and likewise that the clarke of the Tholsell bee allowed a certaine fee for the coppie of the said oath, because it is a labour more than ordinarie: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that everie person that shalbee sworne a freeman of this cittie doe and shall, uppon his swearinge a freeman of this cittie, come with his armes fixed, and, uppon his takeinge the oath of a freeman, take the same kneelinge, and that the clarke of the Tholsell doe give unto the partie so sworne a coppie of his oath, takeing for the said coppie sixpence onelie.

Clerk of
Tholsel.

Form of
admission.

Oath.

Ogden.

Mayor.
Aldermen.
Proclama-
tion.

Wine.

Payment.

[2.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to Mr. Maior, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that, by order of Mr. Maior and the table of aldermen, hee hath given out, for the use of this cittie, at the proclaimeinge of his sacred majestie that now is, sixe hogsheads of wine, amountinge to fortie pounds, sterling, and that his said master at the said time expended other chardges, on the said proclaimeinge, for the honour of this cittie, for which hee hath receaved noe satisfaction; and, therefore, the petitioner humblie desired this assemblie to lay downe a course therein, whereby as well the forsaid sixe hogsheads of wine as the forsaid chardges expended by his said master may bee paied for and satisfied: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioner bee paied for the said sixe hogsheads of wine the summe of thirtie sixe pounds, sterling, and, for the other chardges, the summe of six-

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teene pounds, sterling, by the thesaurer of this cittie, by 1660.
warrant from Mr. Maior.

[3.] Whereas Henry Bollardt,¹ apothecary, did alsoe ^{Bollardt.}
petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas
by an acte of Easter assemblie, 1657, it was ordered² that
the petitioner should bee satisfied and paid, uppon a
warrant from the then Maior of this cittie directed to
the thesaurer of the same, the summe of eightie pounds,
sterling, due unto the petitioner for a banquet which ^{Banquet.}
hee furnished this cittie with, uppon the freedom of the
late Lord Henry Cromwell unto this cittie, and foras- ^{Henry}
much as the petitioner, notwithstandinge hee had a ^{Cromwell.}
warrant for the payment thereof, hath not receaved
satisfaction thereof as yett: hee therefore humbly
prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course therein,
whereby hee might bee paid the interest of the said ^{Interest.}
eighty pounds ever since the said graunt accordinge to
the rate of tenn pounds per centum, and that the
payment of the said interest might soe continue untill
hee bee paid the forsaid eightie pounds, sterling, at one
entire payment, to bee paid half yearely by the
thesaurer of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and
agreed uppon, by the said authoritie, that the petitioner
bee allowed eight pounds, sterling, in the hundred, ^{Rate.}
interest, from the date of the said acte of assemblie
untill the said summe of eightie pounds, sterling, bee
paid at one entire payment. The said eight pounds in
the hundred to bee paid by the thesaurer of the cittie
aforsaid on the Maiors warrant.

[4.] Whereas Frances Kenney, widdow, the relicte and ^{Kenney.}
administratrix of Henry Kenney, esquire, deceased,
preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that
the cittie demised unto the said Henry Kenney (amonge
other thinges) the rectorie of Rathbarry, alias ^{Rathbarry.}
Correnkinfecke, in the countie of Corke, at the rent of ^{Cork.}

¹ Also written Bollard, Ballardt, Ballard.

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1660. five pounds per annum, as by the lease thereof appeareth, Roll xiv.
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that the said Henry in his life time, nor the petitioner
- Rebellion. since his death (dureinge the late rebellion), hitherto
could not make any benefitt thereof, the same beinge sett
Commissioners of
Common-wealth. from time to time by the commissioners of the Common-
wealth, whereby the petitioner is disabled to pay the
arreares due, and therefore shee humbly prayed this
assemblie to remitt the arreares due, and for the future
shee would pay the rent as it will growe due: it is
Order. therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that if the petitioner shall, by the twentieth
day of August next, pay twentie pounds, sterling, to the
treasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, the
petitioner shalbee dischargd of the rest of the said
arreares.
- Twelves. [5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
forsaid authoritie, that Edward Twelves, taylor, shall
have a lease, for the tearme of threescore and one yeares,
to beginn from the feast day of Saint Michael the
Archangell, next, upon one plott of ground in the
Lontb. Mainie and Dale. countie of Lowth, called Mainie and Dale, contayneinge
the number of acres followeing, that is to say, Mainie,
contayneinge one hundred, twentie and four acres, and m. 3b.
the towne and lands of Dale, contayneinge eightie and
seaven acres, at the yearlie rent of thirtie and three
pounds, sterling, to bee paid unto the treasurer of this
cittie for the time beinge, for the use of this cittie, over
and above all taxes and publique chardges, and that
- Ash trees. one hundred of ash-trees bee sett on the said lands, on
the penaltie of twentie shillings, sterling, halfe-yearelie,
nomine pene; and that the said Edward Twelves shall
pay unto the now Maior sixe pounds, sterling, beinge
- Survey. soe much paid by him for the surveyinge of the said
lands, to bee paid out of the first halfe yeares rent unto
the Maior, and to bee allowed unto the said Edward
Twelves out of his first yeares rent; and that the said
- Bond. Edward Twelves doe enter into a bond of two hundred

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pounds, sterling, unto the treasurer of this cittie, for 1660. the use of this cittie, to take out the said lease. The said lease to bee with such other clauses and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[6.] That Edward Batho, clothier, shall have a lease for the tearme of threescore and one yeares, to beginn from the feast day of Saint Michael the archangell next, uppon one parcell of ground, parte of Crockers lane, alias Crockers barrs, in the backe parte of Robert Meade, malster, his now dwellinge house in Saint James streete, Crockers barrs, Malster. St. James' street. contayneinge in length from east to west fiftie sixe yards, and in breadth from north to south nine yards, at the yearelie rent of foure pounds, sterling, to bee paied unto the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge, for the use of the said cittie, halfe yearelie, at the treasurers house, without demaund, on the penaltie of tenn shillings, sterling, nomine pene, over and above all taxes and other publike chardges, with such other condicions and covenants as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt; and that the said Edward Batho doe enter into a bond of fortie pounds, sterling, unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, to take out the said lease.

[7.] That Owen Jones, merchant, shall have and enjoy the place and office of marshall of the admiraltie for the bay and porte of this cittie of Dublin, together with all the perquisites and profittes thereunto belonginge, dureinge the pleasure of the cittie. Marshal. Admiralty. Bay. Port.

[8.] That Thomas Constable, watchmaker, shall have Constable. and enjoy the place of the keeper of the clocke of this City clock. cittie of Dublin dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, with the stipend of foure pounds, sterling, by the yeare, to bee paied quarterlie by the treasurer of the cittie on the Maiors warrant, dureinge his imployment in the said office.

[9.] Whereas James Doyle, Hugh Warde, Daniel Carricke and Thomas Neale, beadles, petitioned unto the Beadles

1660.	said assemblie, sheweinge that they have all alonge	Roll xiv. m. 3 b.
	faithfully and diligentlie served this cittie in their	
	station as beadles, and have beene willinge uppon all	
	occasions and opportunities to manifest their affectionatt	
	service unto the cittie; and forasmuch as they have not	
Allowance.	receaved soe much as one penny of allowance for their	
	paines since Michaelmas last, and are alsoe halfe a	
Wages.	yeares wages apeece in arreare since Alderman Hatfields	
	yeare of Maioraltie, ¹ whereby they bee reduced into a	
	very lowe and starveing condicion: they therefore	
	humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course	
	therein for their payment for this yeares service: it is	
	therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid	
	authoritie, that the Maior and Sheriffes doe ascertain	
	what is justlie due to the petitioners, and, when it shall	
	appeare what is due unto them, that they doe make a	
Cess. Parishes.	cesse on the severall parishes of the cittie and suburbs	
	for payment thereof, and cause the same to bee levied	
	and paied unto them.	
Warde, brewer. Sheriff.	[10.] Mr. Peter Warde, brewer, is elected Sheriffe of	
	this cittie for the nexte ensueinge yeare, in the steade of	
Reader.	Mr. Enoch Reader, merchant, now dischargd of the	
	said place.	
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise. ²	m. 1.

1660. August, 10. Acts and orders:

Rauen, prisoner. Newgate.	[1.] Whereas Constantin Rauen, now prisoner in	m. 4.
	Newgate, preferred petition unto this assemblie,	
	desiringe (for severall reasons and motives sett forth in	
	his said petition) that hee might bee remitted the fine of	
	tenn pounds, sterling, imposed uppon him in the last	
	Midsommer quarter sessions: it is therefore ordered and	
	agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie,	
	that hee, the said petitioner (giveinge his bond for the	
	payment of the forsaid tenn pounds to the threasurer of	

¹ 1656-7, see page 103.

² At foot: "Enrolled by order of

Michaelmas assembly, 1676. — Philip Crofts."

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this cittie, for the use of this cittie, at will and pleasure), ^{1660.}bee dischardged from his imprisonment. ^{Discharge.}

[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, on the peticion of Richard Swann, ^{Richard Swann, mariner.} marryner, preferred likewise unto this assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath paied the somme of fortie shillings, sterling, in parte payment of the somme of five pounds, sterling, imposed on him in the last Midsommer quarter sessions, and that hee is not able to satisfie the remaynder of the said fine for the reasons and motives ^{Fine.} sett forth in his said peticion, that, in consideracion of the petitioners povertie, the three pounds, sterling, remayne of the above fine of five pounds, sterling, bee remitted unto the petitioner.

Memorandum: That the nine and twentieth day of August, in the yeare of our Lord God 1660, and in the twelveth yeare of our soveraigne lord, kinge Charles the second of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, Robert Deey, Maior of the cittie of Dublin, John Price and Hugh Price, Sheriffes of the said cittie, this acte and order followeing was made and established in full assemblie then holden :

Whereas John Bysse, esquire, recorder of this cittie of ^{John Bysse, recorder.} Dublin, petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that whereas he hath disbursed twentie pounds, sterling, on the behalfe of this cittie, for soe much^a by him paied for Mr. Arthur Annesley his agencie in England, for which ^{Annesley.} hee hath receaved noe satisfaction; and therefore the petitioner desired this assemblie to order that hee might have satisfaction of the said monneyes; and whereas an applotment was made on the severall incorporacions of ^{Applotment. Corporations.} this cittie, for the agent of this cittie, for carryinge on the affaires of this cittie, of which somme there remaines seaventeene pounds, and for that it appeares that the twentie pounds aforsaid was layde out by Mr. Recorder, as is above expressed: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that

1660. Mr. Maior and the Sheriffes bee impowered by this Roll xiv.
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Warrants. assemble to issue out warrants to the corporacions who have not paid in the sommes apploited on them to bee distrained on them by their goodes untill the said summes bee satisfied, and the three pounds, remayne of the said twentie pounds layed out by Mr. Recorder, to bee paid by the threasurer by warrant from Mr. Maior, the said seaventeene pounds and three pounds to bee paid to Mr. Recorder for satisfaction of the said twentie pounds soe disbursed by him.

1660. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: Hubart Adryan Verneer, esquire; Sheriffs: m. 5.
Sheriffs. Thomas Jones and Peter Warde.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Ridgley
Treasurer. Hatfield, alderman, is chosen threasurer of this cittie of Dublin for the next ensueinge yeare.

[2.] Mr. John Price and Mr. Hugh Price are chosen
Masters of works. masters of the cittie workes for the same yeare.

[3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Threasurer, Mr. Robert Deey,
Auditors. Mr. Raphael Hunt, Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. John Preston, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse. Mr. Peter Wybrants and the rest of the aldermen, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. John Smith, the master of the smithes, the master of the taylors, the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, are chosen auditors for the said cittie for the same yeare, whereof Mr. Maior and one of the Sheriffes are to bee alwayes two.

[4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant unto Mr. Maior,
Ogden. preferred petition unto this assemblee, desireinge that
Allowance. such allowance may bee graunted and allowed unto his
Mayor. said master by this assemblee as may in some measure aunswere the dignitie of his imployment, and the credit of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of the said assemblee, that out of the good opinion they have of the petitioners said master to

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enable him henceforth the better to supporte the creditt ^{1660.}
of the government (there beinge a parliament¹ shortlie ^{Parliament}
to bee, whereby Mr. Maior wilbee at greater chardges ^{at Dublin.}
then ordinarie for the creditt of the cittie), the
petitioner shall have, for the use of his said master, the ^{Allowance.}
sunme of three hundred pounds, sterling, out of the
revenue, fines and casualties of this cittie and the
arreares thereof, provided that this bee noe president for
after times, to bee paied quarterlie by the treasurer of
the cittie, on the Maiors warrant, together with all such
perquisittes as the last Maior had.

[5.] Whereas Daniel Huchinson, John Preston, Ridgley ^{Aldermen.}
Hatfield, Thomas Waterhouse, William Cliffe and Richard
Cooke, aldermen, Richard Millington, John Smith, Tobias
Cramer, Christopher Bennett and John Everton, deputie
aldermen, and severall other aldermen and deputie
aldermen of this cittie, did petition unto the said ^{Petition.}
assemblee, desiringe (for certaine reasons expressed in
theire said petition) to bee remitted the severall fines ^{Fines.}
imposed on them in Midsommer sessions last for not
appeareinge and attendinge at the aforesaid sessions, that ^{Attendance}
uppon the petitioners promises for the future to attend
more diligentlie, theire forsaid fines are remitted. ^{Remission.}

[6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
forsaid authoritie, that William Hill shall have the place ^{William}
of schoolemaster of the cittie of Dublin dureinge the ^{Hill, school-}
pleasure of the cittie, with the salarie of fiteene pounds, ^{master.}
sterling, by the yeare, and the use of the schoole house ^{School}
dureinge his imployment in the said place, hee teachinge ^{house.}
poore freemens children, not exceedinge twentie, from ^{Freemen's}
time to time, such as the Maior for the time beinge shall ^{children.}
nominatt, hee receaveinge eighteene pence by the quarter, ^{Payment.}
and noe more, from the said poore freemens children, and
other mens children as hee can agree with them, and that
the Maior and Sheriffes of this cittie bee visitors of the ^{Visitors of}
^{school.}

¹ This parliament met at Chichester House, Dublin, on the 8th of May, 1661.

1660. said schoole, who at least once a yeare, or oftener if they shall see cause, shall see the said schoole well ordered and governed. Roll xiv.
m. 5.

Franchise. Admissions to franchise. m. 8.

1660, October 25.

m. 5 b.

Act and order: Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, desireinge that a course might bee forthwith layde downe therein for the settlinge of the militia of this cittie for the defence thereof for his majesties use: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that upon consideration had of the said petition and request of the commons, and this assemblie takeinge into their consideration the dutie incumbent upon them for defence of this cittie for his majesties use in these dangerous and disaffected times, doe (for the reasons in the said petition and for the secureinge of the inhabitantes of this cittie from any attempte which may be made by the Irish Papists and other common enemies) order and agree that the inhabitantes of the said cittie bee formed into two regiments, the one within the cittie, contayneinge nine companies, and the other in the suburbes, contayneinge tenn companies, and that for commaunding the said regiments the parties whose names are unto the said petition annexed bee appointed officers for commaunding the said regiments, and that the persons that shalbee inlisted shall not bee tryed but by their owne officers, nor by them but for such offences as they shall committ as souldiers, and not to bee commaunded further than their liberties and lyne; and the Maior for the time beinge bee commander-in-chiefe of the said regiments. The cittie regiment is: the Maior, collonell; Mr. Ridgley Hatfield, lieutenant-collonell; Mr. Daniel Bellingham, major; Mr. George Gilbert, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. Samuel Saltonstall, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. John Smith, and Mr. Richard Phillipps, captaines. The

Militia of
city.

Dangers.
Disaffec-
tion.

Irish
Papists,
Common
enemies.

Regiments.

Companies.

Enlistment.

Comman-
der-in-chief.
Regiment in
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suburbes regiment is : Richard Tighe, alderman, collonell ; ^{1660.} Thomas Waterhouse, alderman, lieutenant-collonell ; John ^{Regiment in} Cranwell, alderman, major ; Mr. John Eastwoode, Mr. Robert Arundell, Mr. William Cox, Mr. Thomas Pope, Mr. Thomas Jones, Mr. John Nicholas and Mr. Peter Warde, capitaines. The present troope (for that the dutie ^{Troop.} is very heavie on the foote and noe dutie exacted from ^{Duty.} the troope, nor any occasion to make use of them) are for the present to cease as a troope, and to doe dutie as foote, equallie with other the foote in their severall ^{Foot.} places of habitation. These to bee presented to his majesties commissioners for their approbation.

m. 8 b.

1660. November 29 : William Davys, gentleman, admitted to franchise, by special grace and on presenta- ^{Franchise.} tion of pair of gloves to the Mayoress.

1660-61, January 10.

m. 6.

Act and order :—It is ordered, by the authoritie of this ^{1660-61.} present assemblie, that William Davys, esquire, shall have ^{William Davys,} the place and office of recorder of this cittie of Dublin, ^{recorder.} together with the fees, perquisitts and profittes thereunto belonging, dureinge his good behaviour and in as ample and full manner as John Bysse, esquire, late recorder of ^{Bysse.} this cittie, held and enjoyed the same, saveinge and alwayes reserveinge unto the Maior, Sheriffes, commons and cittizens of the cittie of Dublin aforesaid, and their successors, the place or office of clarke of the Tholsell of ^{Clerk of Tholsel} the said cittie, with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonging, to bee from time to time disposed of by the said Maior, Sheriffs, commons and cittizens, and their successors, as heretofore hath beene used, and that the said recorder shall usuallie bee resident in this cittie. ^{Residence.}

1660-61. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1660.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie,

1660-61. sheweinge that by the laudable customes of well governed citties it hath beene observed (for prevention of the danger of fire and other inconveniences that might ensue) that noe thatch house might bee admitted within any cittie or suburbes, and that, forasmuch as the inconvenience of any such buildeinges hath of late beene a wofull spectacle unto this cittie by the late fire in Saint James streete, the said commons therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe some course therein, that for the future noe such thatch buildeings might bee erected in this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that noe thatch houses shalbee hereafter erected within this cittie or suburbes thereof, and that such order shalbee taken hereafter with the thatch buildinges already erected for the prevention of any future danger of fire by them as shalbee agreeable to the lawe of the land, and the customes of the cittie in such like cases.

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m. 6.

[2.] Erased.¹

Harvy, scavenger. [3.] Whereas William Harvy, scavenger of this cittie, preferred peticion unto the said assembly, desireinge (for severall reasons sett forth in his said peticion) that the said place of scavenger of this cittie might bee by an acte of the said assemblie confirmed on him under the cittie seale, whereby hee may bee the better enabled to dischargdge his dutie therein and receave the benefitt of the said place: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioner shall have a graunt of the place of scavenger of this cittie of Dublin, with the perquisites thereunto belonging, m. 6 b. dureinge the pleasure [of this cittie, under] the cittie seale, the petitioner performeing the particulers in a certaine schedule unto the said peticion annexed, with such other covenantes and clauses as Mr. Recorder shall

¹ In margin: "Papists not to bee admitted to counsell of cittie."—"Noe Papist to bee free of this citty."—"This

was rased out in king James the second his raigne."

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m. 6 b.

thinke fitt to insert in the said graunt, and that the said ^{1660-61.} scavenger shall not take toll of any freeman of this Toll. cittie for any corne brought to towne for his privatt use, Corn. and to bee spent in his privatt famelie. The particulers mencioned in the forsaid schedule unto the forsaid petition annexed are as followeth, videlicet: Inprimis, that the scavenger shall pay a barrell of the beste toll wheate weekly to the Maior for the time beinge, and ^{Wheat.} fiftie barrells of good beare malte, payable the first of ^{Malt.} November and the fifteenth of March yearelie. Secondly, that the scavenger doe clense and carry away all the ^{Cleansing.} dunge in the streetes, both within the walls of the cittie and in all the streetes and lanes without the walls within ^{Streets. Lanes.} the cittie liberties. Thirdly, that if any inhabitant shall ^{Inhabitants.} cast any of their house dunge, sweepings, garbidge and ashes into the streetes, and the same lye uncarrried away for twentie and foure houres after throwne out, and that the scavenger carry it away, that the Maior for the ^{Removal.} time beinge shall cause such inhabitant to pay the scavenger for carryinge away the same. Fourthly, that the scavenger give in good securitie to performe his ^{Security.} office diligentlie, and not to leave the dunge in the streetes above twentie and foure houres after it is swept together, unlesse there bee good cause such as the Maior shall approve of. Fifthlie, that the scavenger shall receave the toll of the market¹ by the measures allowed, ^{Toll of market.} and that hee shall not take any greater toll than the present toll, nor the same by heape but by stricke measure. Sixthly, that Mr. John Cranwell, Mr. Nathaniel ^{Measure.} Fowkes and the said William Harvy, scavenger, to bee bound in the summe of two hundred pounds for the performance of what the said scavenger ought to performe. Seaventhly, that the fiftie barrells of beare malte above mencioned are to bee paid to the now Maior ^{Malt. Mayor.} for this yeare, and afterwards the said malte to bee

¹ See vol. iii., p. xxiii.

1660-61.	disposed of as the assemblie shall order. And it is	Roll xiv. in. 6 6
Schedule.	further ordered, by the said authoritie, that the said schedule to the said petition annexed shalbee recorded, the fiftie particuler clause therein mencioned excepted and foreprised.	
Powell. Wheately. Water- bailiffs.	[4.] Whereas Henry Powell and James Wheately, waterbailiffs, did petition unto the said assembly, sheweinge that they have supplied the severall guards of this cittie with coales for fireinge all the last winter, and are still commaunded soe to doe, although there bee noe way or course as yett layde downe for their satisfaction, and in regarde they are not able further or longer to supplie the guardes with fireinge without satisfaction given them, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that a course might bee layde downe in this assemblie that their accomptes may bee taken as to their disbursements, and satisfaction and payment made, whereby they may bee able to satisfie their owne engagementes, as alsoe to take such course therein for the future as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the Maior and Sheriffes, and such as they thinke fitt to	
Guards. Fire.	nominatt and appointe, doe take the accomptes of the petitioners, and to cesse the cittie and suburbs for the speedie raiseinge of soe much monney as shall satisfie the arreares due to the petitioners, and the future chardges for this winter quarter.	
Accounts.		
Arrears.		
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise.	m. 11

1660[-61]. February 18.

	Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine	m. 7.
Main pipe.	of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that they haveinge branches from the maine pipe, yett by reason of the severall defectes in the said pipe are not supplied with water for want of an able workman to take care for the amendment of the same, soe that [they are] not onely prejudiced for the want thereof	
Water.		

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m. 7.

for their necessarie occasions, but alsoe are not in any way able to prevent the danger of fire, to their greate griefe and prejudice; and therefore the said commons prayed the said assemblie to lay downe an order and course therein for their speedie reliefe, and that an able workman might bee appointed to amend the aforesaid defects, whereby they might bee supplied for the future: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that Mr. Maior, alderman Tighe, and both the Sheriffes doe treat with John Sanderton, plumber, concerneinge the premises, and to agree with the said John Sanderton for the amendinge the defects of the watercourse, soe as to convey the water to the cesterne and thence to the severall conduite pipes, and soe to continue the same amended untill Easter, 1662, and that the referrees bee impowred and are hereby impowred to offer to the said John Sanderton the arreares due on the severall branches for the two yeares last past, and the yeare next beginninge at Easter next to bee due on the said branches. Provided that the said John Sanderton doe enter into articles for the due performance of the same. Provided alsoe that to the said referrees there bee sixe of the commons (to be named by the commons) added, and that any foure of them bee a full committee to acte accordinge to the said power given them. The names of the commons to bee added, as aforesaid, are John Mylls, carpenter, Mr. John Sheppard, capten, Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. John Price, Mr. Hugh Price and Mr. Thomas Clarke.

Sanderton,
plumber.

Water-
course,
Cistern.
Conduits.

Branches.

Commit-
tees.

[2.] Whereas Josua Allen, merchant, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee is very sensible of the fall of the cittie wall adjoyneinge to his holdeinge without Gormonds gate, and his lease of his said holdeinge there extendinge to the wall of the cittie, whereby hee humbly conceaves and was soe informed that without prejudice to the said wall hee might have removed the rubbish thereunto adjoyneinge for the

Allen.

City wall.
Gormonds
gate.

1660-61. enlargement of his yarde, and for that it is conceaved Roll xiv. m. 7.
 by this said assemblie that the removeinge the said
 rubbish occasioned the fall of the said wall, and thereby
 the petitioner is lyable (as is alsoe conceaved, and as hee
 Breach. is informed) to make upp the said breach ; and forasmuch
 as hee did not cause the said rubbish to bee taken away
 wilfullie or in prejudice to the cittie ; hee therefore
 humbly prayed the said assemblie, for the reasons
 aforsaid, to moderatt such fine (if they did conceave him
 lyable to any) as they should thinke fitt and meete : it is
 therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
 Fine. aforsaid, that the petitioner be fined in the summe of one
 hundred pounds, sterling, to bee paid forthwith into
 Masters of works. the hands of the masters of the cittie workes, for
 repairinge of the premises, and then the petitioner to bee
 saved harmeles from any prejudice which might have
 fallen on him by the fall of the said wall.

1660[-61]. February 25.

Act and order :—Whereas certaine of the commons m. 7 b.
 preferred petition unto the said assemblie, shewcinge that
 whereas they have receaved a lardge and ample accompte
 Smith. of the proceedings of Alderman William Smith and
 Wybrants. Alderman Peter Wybrants uppon certaine instructions
 committed to them by this cittie, whereby to sollicit his
 Charles II. sacred majestie in the behalfe of the said cittie : the said
 commons therefore humbly prayed the said assemblie
 that a course might bee layde downe therein whereby
 some fitte and able persons might bee appointed to
 proceede in the agitation of the affaires recommended by
 Chief governors. his majestie to the chiefe governors of this kingdome, and
 further to doe, sollicit and acte therein for the speedie
 and effectuate conclusion of the same accordinge to
 their direccions, and that a certaine summe of monney
 bee forthwith advanced for the carryeing on of the
 same, and that . . . the severall letters presented by
 Royal letters. Alderman William Smith and Alderman Peter Wybrants

Roll. xiv.
m. 7 b.

to this cittie from his sacred majestie bee forthwith enrolled: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that Mr. Recorder, Alderman William Smith and Alderman Peter Wybrants bee appointed to sollicit the affaires in the petition mentioned, and that a speedie course bee taken for the present advance of monneyes for the better carryinge on of the said affaires, and that the said severall letters bee forthwith enrolled. It is alsoe ordered, by the authoritie aforsaid, that one hundred pounds, sterling, bee forthwith levied on the severall corporacions of this cittie for the carryinge on of the same, and that a course may bee layde downe in the said assemblie for a future supplie as occasion shall require.

1660-61.
Recorder.

City
petition.

Enrolment.

Assess-
ment
Corpora-
tions.

1660[-61]. March 18.

Act and order:—It is ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that Thomas Chabinor shall have the place of swordbearer of this cittie of Dublin dureinge the pleasure of the said cittie, together with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge.

Sword-
bearer

m. 9.

1661.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

1661.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this present assemblie, desireinge that (for certaine reasons and motives sett forth in their petition) some additionall allowances might bee graunted by this cittie unto the now Maier of the same towards the keepinge upp of his constant, generous and commendable hospitalitie as hitherto hee hath done for the credit of the said cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the summe of one hundred and fiftie pounds, sterling, bee paid unto Amos Ogden, servant unto the said Maier, by the treasurer of

Allow-
ances.

Mayor.

Hospitality.

¹ 13 Charles II.

² Easter-day, 14 April, 1661.

1661. this cittie, for the use of the said Maior, or unto any other whom the said Maior shall appointe. Roll xiv.
m. 9.

Weston. [2.] Whereas Sarah Weston, widdow, administratrix of the goodes and chattles of Samuel Weston, alderman, deceased, did preferre petition unto the said assembly, prayeing that (for certaine reasons sett forth in her said petition) shee might bee graunted a lease in her owne name of one house or tencement, seituatt in Cooke-streete, formerlie graunted by this cittie unto her said husband, Samuel Weston, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, commencing at Easter, 1652, at the yearly rent of foure pounds, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the lease in the said petition mencioned be graunted unto the petitioner in her owne name, under such condicions and qualificacions as were formerly made in the lease to bee past unto the said Samuel Weston for the time and tearme in the said lease last mencioned as yett to come and unexpired.

Harvy. [3.] Whereas also William Harvy, scavenger, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that one Steele. Henry Steele, malster, hath caused the petitioner to bee arrested by processe out of his majesties courte of chiefe place for takeinge toll of him, the said Henry, for corne which the said Henry made malte of for sale in this cittie, and for that the petitioner taketh greate paines performeing of his dutie in his said place, and if he bee not protected herein by this worshipfull assemblie against the unjust practises of the said Henry Steele, hee wilbee thereby ruined; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe some course therein whereby hee might bee protected in the due execucion of his said place and against the said processe: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the cittie will maintain and justifie the petitioner in any suite commenced against him for any acte done by him by vertue of any graunte made unto him by the said cittie.

Protec-
tion.

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m. 9.

[4.] It is likewise ordered and agreed uppon, by the 1661
said authoritie, that John Lovett, sadler, shall have the ^{Lovett.}
place of gaoler of Newgate of this cittie, together with ^{Newgate.}
the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge dureinge
the pleasure of this cittie, the petitioner giveinge good
securitie to save the cittie harmeles.

[5.] Mr. George Gilbert, alderman, is chosen Maior of ^{Gilbert,}
this cittie of Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare. ^{Mayor.}

[6.] Mr. John Sergeant and Mr. George Hulett are
chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare. ^{Sheriffs.}

m. 11 b. Admissions to franchise. ^{Franchise.}

1661. May 24.

m. 9.

Laws, orders and constitutions:— [1.] Whereas
certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the
said assemblie, sheweinge that Mr. Josua Allen, beinge ^{Josua}
very sensible of the fall of the cittie wall to bee ^{Allen.}
occasioned by the removealle of the rubidge thereof,
did petition unto this cittie for the payment of some
moderatt fine by him towards the rebuldeinge of the ^{Rebuilding.}
said wall; the cittie was formerly pleased to fine the ^{Fine.}
said Josua Allen in one hundred pounds, sterling,
towards the repaireinge thereof; and forasmuch as by the
estimatt returned what the chardge in the whole will
amount unto for to rebulde the same, it will come to three
hundred and one pounds; the said commons therefore
humbly prayed this assembly that for the two
hundred and one pounds, the remaine of the said three
hundred and one pounds, sterling, a course might bee
layde downe therein forthwith for raiseinge the same
for carryinge on of the said worke: it is therefore
ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said
assemblie, that there bee a generall assessment on the ^{Assess-}
freemen of this cittie for the raiseinge of the summe ^{ment.}
of two hundred and one pounds, sterling, the remaine
of the said three hundred and one pounds, sterling,
beinge the summe certified to bee necessarie by severall ^{Certificate.}

m. 9 b.

1661. artificers for the reparacion of the wall of this cittie ; Roll *xiv.*
 Artificers. which cesse is to bee made by the Maior, Sheriffes, sixe *in. 9 d.*
 aldermen whom the Maior shall nominatt, and twelve
 of the commons whom the commons shall appointe and
 nominatt, or any five of them, whereof the Maior, one
 of the Sheriffes and two of the commons to bee alwayes
 Collection. foure of them ; the same to bee collected by the severall
 Corpora- wardens of the corporacions by a warrant from Mr
 tions. Maior ; and that the said summe of two hundred and
 one pounds, sterling, with the said one hundred pounds,
 Allen. sterling, imposed on Mr. Allen, bee paied over unto
 Gilbert. Alderman Gilbert, appointed receiver for the same, and
 the same to bee issued by him by warrant from Mr.
 Tighe. Alderman Richard Tighe and the masters of the workes
 City of this cittie, or any two of them, for carryeing on of
 works. the said worke ; and the parties refuseinge to pay the
 summes to bee assessed on them to bee distrained on by
 their goods, and the same to bee sold and the overplus
 of the value of the said goodes to bee paied to the said
 parties ; the said two hundred and one pounds, sterling,
 Loan. to bee raised on this cittie by way of loane, and to be
 Three- repaid unto this cittie out of the threepenny custome or
 penny otherwise. And it is further ordered that all such
 custom. persons as are freemen, and not incorporated unto the
 Cess. said corporacions, shalbee cessed by the committee afor-
 said [and] pay the said cesse unto such persons as Mr.
 Maior shall appointe for collectinge the same, and,
 refuseinge to pay the same, to bee proceeded against as
 Committee. aforesaid. The names of the commons whom the commons
 have appointed and nominated are these followeing,
 videlicet : Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. George Surdevele, Mr.
 John Eastwoode, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. John Webber,
 John Mylls, William Hill, Robert Westberry, Laurence
 Cosgrave, Mr. Robert Arundell, Thomas Walker, baker,
 Goldsmith. and Richard Lord, goldsmith.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons did petition
 unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that in all well

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governed citties for the benefitt and advantage thereof, 1661.
and for good order and decencie therein, there are places
sett aparte for a fishmarkett, and for that by the auncient Fish-
market.
good government of this cittie there was a place in the
lower end of Fish-streete erected for a fishmarkett which Fish-
street.
Distrac-
tions.
by the late distractions of the times is latelie carryed
away; the said commons therefore humbly desired this
assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby the
said fishmarkett might bee rebuilte; and whereas, uppon Rebuild-
ing.
debate of the forsaid petition, Alderman Richard Tighe Tighe.
hath proffered to build and finish the fishambles uppon Fishambles.
the place mencioned in the said petition at his owne
proper costs, and to make and present unto the next
assemblie after the same is finished a just accompte of Account.
the disbursements that hee shall necessarilie make there-
uppon: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the Agree-
ment.
authoritie aforsaid, that the said Alderman Richard
Tighe may and shall builde the said shambles, and uppon
the presentinge of his accompte hee shall have present
payment of his disbursements on the same, or else hee,
the said alderman Richard Tighe, shall, by vertue of this
acte of assemblie, have and enjoy to him, his heires or
assignes, the rents and profitts that hee shall and may Rents.
Profits.
raise and make thereout untill payment shalbee made of
his said disbursements. Provided alwayes that noe other
use shalbee made of the shambles and place aforsaid Restric-
tion.
without speciall licence and order of the Maior and
Sheriffes of this cittie for the time beinge, and that the
said shambles bee made and finished at the furthest Comple-
tion.
within sixe monthes after the date of this order.

[3.] Whereas William Hill, master of the free schoole Hill.
Free
school.
of this cittie, petitioned unto the said assemblie,
sheweinge that the said free schoole is much decayed
and out of repaire, especiallie in the rooffe thereof; and
therefore hee prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course
therein for the speedie reparacion thereof: it is therefore Repairs.
ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that

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Masters
of works.

the masters of the cittie workes doe cause the said free schoole to bee putt into repaire, and that the chardge thereof be paied by the threasurer of this cittie by warrant from Mr. Maior. Roll xiv.
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Ludford,
trumpeter.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the said authoritie, that Francis Ludford, trumpeter, shall have the place of trumpeter of this cittie, together with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, duringe the pleasure of this cittie.

Entertain-
ment.
Oxmanton
green.
City
militia.
Oaths.

[5.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this assemblie, sheweinge that there was expended uppon Oxmanton greene in entertayning the lords justices and counceill on the day that the militia of this cittie marched out in order to the takeinge of the oathes of allegiance and supremacie, the summe of forty and five pounds tenn shillings, sterling, for the payment whereof noe course is yett layde downe or prescribed; and therefore the said commons humbly prayed the said assemblie to lay downe a course therein whereby the said summe may bee speedilie satisfied and paied: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the above summe of fortie five pounds ten shillings bee paied unto Alderman Richard Tighe by the threasurer of the cittie, upon Mr. Maiors warrant.

Payment.

Coronation.
Charles II.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that for the solemniseinge of the coronation of his sacred majestie kinge Charles the second, there was expended in wine and other necessaries for the better settinge forth of the said

Expendi-
ture.

solemnitie the summe of fortie pounds, sterling, for which it is necessarie that speedie payment bee made to the persons who have disbursed the said summes, or ingaged to satisfie the same; the said commons therefore humbly prayed this assemblie that the said summes might bee paid unto the said persons out of such of the Easter rents as are now due unto the said cittie as they shall m. 10.

Easter
rents.

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m. 10.

make choise of, and that they may bee authorised to 1661.
receave the same from the persons from whom the same
is due, and that the acquittances of the persons who have
ingaged for the said monneyes may bee a sufficient dis-
chardge to the severall tennants for the rent they shall
pay, to bee allowed by the threasurer, and to passe the
particular disbursements of the said summe, and to have
allowance in his accompte. The nanies of the severall
tennants and the summes of rents which they are to pay ^{Tenants.}
are as followeth, videlicet: Mr. John Price, seaven
pounds, fiteene shillings, sterling; sir William Usher,
knight, eleven pounds, five shillings, sterling; Mr.
Newman, eleven pounds, sterling; and Mr. Nathaniel
Fowkes, tenn pounds, sterling; in all amountinge to the
forsaid fortie pounds, sterling. It is therefore ordered
and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the
above rents bee paid by the persons on whom the same
is due for Easter last, unto Alderman William Smith for <sup>William
Smith.</sup>
the satisfyeinge the above expences, and that the said
William Smithes acquittances shalbe a sufficient dis-
chardge for the tennants, to be allowed by the
threasurer.

Memorandum: That the nineteenth day of July, in ^{July, 19.}
the yeare of our Lord God, 1661, beinge the fourth
Friday next after the feast of the Nativitie of St. John
Baptist, in the said yeare, an assemblie was then to bee ^{Assembly.}
held according to the auncient custome of this cittie of ^{Custom.}
Dublin; but the Maior of the said cittie beinge indisposed ^{Mayor.}
in his health, and not able to bee then present at the said
assemblie, the Sheriffes, aldermen and commons of the
forsaid cittie then assembled together did adjourne the <sup>Adjourn-
ment.</sup>
forsaid assemblie untill the sixteenth day of August in
the yeare aforesaid, on which sixteenth day of August in
the forsaid yeare the said assemblie was then fully
holden.

Franchise.

Admissions to franchise:

Memorandum: That the sixteenth day of August, in

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m. 10.

1661. the yeare of our Lord God 1661, sir Hubart Adryan Roll xiv.
m. 10.
Mayor. Verneer, knight, Maior of the cittie of Dublin, Thomas
Sheriffs. Jones, and Peter Warde, Sheriffes of the said cittie,
this acte and order followeing was made and estab-
lished in full assemble then holden :

Jonathan Edwards. Whereas Jonathan Edwards, clerke, petitioned unto
this present assemble, desireinge (for certaine reasons sett
forth in his said peticion) that hee might bee presented
Rathmack- by this cittie unto the rectorie of Rathmacknee, in the
nee. countie of Wexford, the disposall whereof lyeth in this
Wexford. cittie : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie of this present assemble, that the petitioner is
and shalbee admitted to the presentacion of the forsaid
rectorie of Rathmacknee, as is above desired.

1661. Third Friday after 29 September.

m. 13.

Mayor. Mayor: George Gilbert, esquire; Sheriffes: George
Sheriffs. Hewlett and William Whitshed.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Ridgley
Treasurer. Hatfield, alderman, is chosen treasurer of this cittie of
Dublin for this next ensueinge yeare.

Masters of works. [2.] Mr. Thomas Jones and Mr. Peter Warde are chosen
masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

Auditors. [3.] Mr. Maior, Mr. Treasurer, sir Hubart Adryan-
Verneer, knight, Mr. William Smith, Mr. Richard Tighe
Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. John
Preston, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Peter Wybrants
and the rest of the aldermen, masters Sheriffes, Mr. Enoch
Smiths. Reader, Mr. John Smith, the master of the smithes, the
Tailors, master of the taylors, the master of the glovers, or any
Glovers. sixe of them, are chosen auditors for the said cittie for
the said yeare, whereof Mr. Maior and one of the
Sheriffes to bee alwayes two.

Ogden. [4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant unto Mr. Maior,
preferred peticion unto this assemble, prayeing (for
certaine reasons sett forth in the said peticion) that such
Allowance. allowance might bee graunted unto his said master,

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towards the supportacion of the chardges of his Maioraltie 1661.
this yeare, as may in some sorte bee a ballanceinge and Mayoralty.
equivalent to the dignitie of his said office: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said
assemblie, that the summe of three hundred pounds,
together with the fiftie barrells of malte due by the Malt.
scavenger of this cittie, bee allowed to the said Maior, for
the better and more comfortable and honourable supporte
of the said Maior in his Maioraltie.

[5.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
the said assemblie, sheweing that two yeares since there
hath beene a lawe made that there should bee a certaine
number of carmen allotted to trade and labour in this Carmen.
cittie at such reasonable wages as should bee layde Wages
downe, and that everie of the said carmen should pay to
the Maior for the time beinge four shillings yearelie Mayor.
during theire continueinge carmen in the said cittie, and
that they should weare badges or distinguishinge markes Badges.
from others that bee not allowed; and further sheweinge
that the porters of this cittie have beene for many yeares Porters.
past without any rule or government amongst them, by
reason whereof they exacte what rates they please for
carryinge of burdens: for remedy whereof, it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that
the said lawe concerninge carmen bee forthwith putt in
execucion, and alsoe that the porters bee brought to theire
auncient, orders and the masters and wardens of the Ancient
Trinitie Guilde are by this present acte of assemblie im- orders.
powered to putt the orders and lawes for governeinge Trinity
them in execucion, accordinge to the auncient customes guild.
of this cittie, and the Maior and recorder of this cittie
are hereby desired to putt the statute of labourers,¹ etc. Statute of
in execucion. labourers.

[6.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons pre-
ferred petition unto the assemblie, sheweinge that there

¹ See vol. i., p. 173.

1661. Idle persons.	are a very greate number of loose, idle and disordred	Roll xiv. m. 13.
Sittings.	persons, without difference of age or sexe, that give themselves over to sloath and idlenes, sittinge in most places of this cittie and suburbes, and sometimes goeing about the cittie with aples, nutts, and about other idle imployments, as alsoe certaine of such persons that sell sneezinge salte and tobacco, which tends much to the impoverishinge of the freemen shopkeepers that doe trade in such commodities: for remedy whereof, it is alsoe therefore ordred and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the aldermen of this cittie in their respective wardes bee and are hereby enjoyned to cleere their severall wards of all such loose, idle and disorderly persons that, under pretence of beinge sellers of such commodities, doe continue in their said severall wards, and that they shall allowe such and soe many in each warde for sellinge of fruite of honest, auncient men or women as this cittie shall think meete, and such to have ticquetts under such aldermens hands for their licenceinge, to bee renewed everie yeare, and that such as sell salte or tobacco bee restrained for the future unlesse they bee free of this cittie, and the Maior and recorder of this cittie are hereby desired to putt the statute of labourers, etc., in execucion.	
Apples. Nuts.		
Sneezing salt. Tobacco.		
Clearance.		
Sale of fruit.		
Tickets.		
Statute of labourers.		
	[7.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that they cannott but with sad reflections observe the manifold discomposures happeninge in the late unhappie revolusions of the severall intrests and concernmentes of this cittie, and that amongst them they finde the office of collector of the threepenny customes ¹ to bee much out of order, occasioned partlie by the late misusage of the same, and partlie by the death of the late collector, and that they have reason to beleve the place of collector voydeable, if not voyde, and to feare the charter thereof, or custome	
Discom- posures.		
Dublin.		
Three- penny customs.		
Collector.		
Charter.		

¹ See vol. iii., p. xviii.

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m. 13 b.

for the same, [is] brought into some danger of forfeiture, 1661.

which how prejudiciall it may prove unto the cittie, they leave it to this grave assemblie to conceive; and forasmuch as the commons are desirous (for certaine and divers reasons and motives sett forth in the said petition)

that William Davys, esquire, recorder of the said cittie, should have the said place or office of collector of the threepenny customes in possession, if voyde, or in revercion, if not voyde, graunted unto him, the said William Davys, dureinge his good behaviour, to bee exercised by him or his deputie and deputies under such liberall and beneficiall clauses, covenants, articles and provisions as have beene usuall in former grauntes of the said office: Grants.

it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the said Mr. William Davys (for the considerations in the said petition mencioned) shall have (dureinge his good behaviour) the place or office of collector of the threepenny customes aforesaid after the determinacion, surrender or forfeiture or other avoydance of a lease of the said place or office made unto Thomas Hooke, of Dublin, alderman, under such payments, clauses, covenantes, articles, condicions and provisions as are mencioned in the lease made unto the said Alderman Hooke of the said office, and as shalbee advised by the learned councell in the lawe of this cittie, and the said Mr. William Davys by himselfe or his deputie to accompte with this cittie for the two-thirds of the said place everie weeke before everie quarter assemblie, and to pay the same to the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge for the use of this cittie.

Thomas Hooke.

[3.] Whereas sir William Dixon, knight, did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that by an acte¹ of Michaelmas assemblie, 1659, the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge, the Sheriffes, the treasurer, Mr. Ridgley Hatfield, Mr. George Gilbert, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr.

William
Davys,
recorder.

Thomas
Hooke.

Account.

Sir
William
Dixon.

¹ See p. 170.

1661. Thomas Howard, Mr. William Hill and Mr. John Sergeant, Roll xiv. m. 13 b.
 Committee. or any five of them, were appointed a committee to
 raise fines for leases in revereion of the severall holde-
 ings belonging unto this cittie, pursuant whereunto the
 said committee did treate and agree with the petitioner
 for a lease in revereion for sixtie and one yeares for
 Skinner the house in Skinneroc, wherein the said sir William
 row. Dixon now dwelleth, hee haveinge a lease in beinge for
 fortie sixe yeares, beginninge in the yeare 1646, at
 the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, as alsoe
 for his backside and garden plott there, haveinge therein
 tenn yeares yett to come after the expiraecion thereof,
 for sixtie and one yeares, at the yearelie rent of
 nine pence, sterling, as alsoe for his holdeinge in
 Hangmaus Hangmans lane, in Oxmantou, haveinge therein fiftie
 lane, Ox- sixe yeares and a halfe yett to come by lease from
 mantou. Easter, one thowsand six hundred fiftie seaven, at
 the rent of twentie shillings, sterling, per annum, and to
 pay the fine of fiftie pounds, sterling, for the whole ; and
 therefore, the petieioner humbly prayed this assemblie to
 graunt unto him leases in revercion of his said severall
 Recorder. holdeings, pursuant to the said agreement : it is, therefore
 ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that there
 bee severall leases drawen upp aecordinge to the prayer
 of the petieion, and that the recorder insert therein such
 clauses, eovenantes, limitacions and condicions as are
 usuall in such eases, and that the respective rentes therein
 to bee meneioned bee paied to the threasurer of this cittie
 Fine. for the time beinge, and that the petieioner doe pay a
 fine of fiftie pounds, sterling, to the threasurer of this
 Capons cittie, for the use of this cittie, and likewise that he doe
 pay a couple of fatt eapons at Christimas, yearelie, to the
 Maior of this cittie for the time beinge ; with such other
 clauses to bee therein inserted by the recorder as are
 usuall in such cases ; provided the said lease bee taken
 out by the next assemblie.

Francis [9.] Whereas Franeis Little, esquire, did also petieion
 Little.

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m. 13 b.

unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that in pursuance of 1661.
the forsaid acte of Michaelmas assemblie, 1659, the said
committee did treat and agree with the petitioner for a
lease in revercion of a plott of ground without Damasgate, Damas-
gate.
for sixtie and one yeares, payinge for the first thirtie
yeares thereof twelve shillings per annum, and for the
remaynder of the said tearme, twentie shillings per annum,
and to pay the fine of thirtie pounds, sterling; and
therefore, the petitioner humbly prayed this assemblie
to graunt him the said lease in revercion of his said
holdeinge, pursuant to the forsaid agreement: it is
therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that on the petitioners surrender of his intrest
in the premises, the petitioner shall have a new lease of
the said premises graunted to him for the tearme of sixtie
and one yeares, at the fine of thirtie pounds, sterling, Fine.
and at the yearelie rent of twelve shillings, sterling, per
annum, for the first thirtie yeares, and at the yearelie
rent of twentie shillings, sterling, per annum, for the
residue of the said tearme, the said yearelie rent to bee
paied to the threasurer of this cittie (at his house in the
said cittie) for the time beinge, and under such clauses,
covenantes, limitacions and condicions therein to bee
inserted by the recorder as in such cases are usuall, and
the petitioner payinge a couple of fatt capons yearelie to
the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge at everie
Christimas.

[10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that doctor Henry Jones, lord bishopp
of Meath, shall have a lease, for the tearme of sixtie and
one yeares, uppon a plott of ground on Hoggen Greene, Henry
Jones,
bishop
of Meath.
Hoggen
green.
next adjoyneinge to a parcell of ground now in the
possession of the said doctor Henry Jones, which plott of
ground hereby graunted doth containe, from the end of
Trinitie Hall to the bricke chimney belonginge to John
Sams house, from north to south, two hundred and foure
foote, and from the east to the west end adjoyneinge to
Trinity
hall.

m. 14.

1661. Tyrrells park.	Tyrrells Parke two hundred, ninetie and foure foote, at	Roll xiv. m. 14.
Rent.	the east and from north to south one hundred and eight foote, and from east to west adjoyneinge to Trinitie Hall two hundred and one foote, at the yearelie rent of five pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, to bee paid to the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge, for the use of the said cittie, and alsoe giveinge unto this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, the booke of the statutes of this kingdome, for the use of the said cittie. Provided alwayes that thirtie foote square from the bottom to the topp of the hill bee reserved to the said cittie for theire common prospecte, and that noe buildeings or other thinge bee erected on the premises for the obstructinge of the said prospecte, and that such further clauses shalbee putt in the said lease intended to bee graunted to the petitioner as by the recorder of this cittie shalbee thought convenient, and that fortie foote bee reserved for the highways, and that sixe foote bee reserved square for a way from the bottom to the topp of the said hill.	
Book of statutes.		
Hill.		
Prospect.		
Clauses.		
Reservations.		
Highways.		
Best.	[11.] That Elias Best, vintner, shall have a lease, for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares, of the ground uppon which the Blindegate, leadinge to the Colledge Greene, contayneinge one and twentie foote square, now standeth, at the yearelie rent of foure pounds, sterling to bee paid to the treasurer of this cittie, at the house of the treasurer of the said cittie for the time beinge, to the use of the said cittie; and the said Elias Best to have all the ground in the survey containned to the said gate belonginge, and to pay a couple of fatt capons everie Christmas yearelie to the Maior of the said cittie for the time heinge.	
Blind gate. College green.		
Treasurer.		
Survey.		
Capons.		
Robert Hughes.	[12.] That Robert Hughes, gentleman, shall have a lease in revercion, for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares, uppon a parcell of ground in Saint Georges lane, in the suburbes of the said cittie, beinge a garden, parcell of the possessions of the late dissolved monasterie of Alhallowes, neere Dub in, and now in the possession of	
St. George's lane.		
All hallows.		

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m. 14.

Mr. Thomas Browne and his undertenants, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, to bee paied to the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge, at his house in the said cittie, together with a fine of two hundred pounds, sterling, to bee paied to the treasurer of the said cittie, for the use of the said cittie, on the perfectinge of the said lease, which lease in revercion is to commence from and immediatlie after the end of the former lease of the premises now in beinge ; and the said Robert Hughes to pay a couple of fatt capons yearelie everie Christmas unto the Maior of the said cittie for the time beinge ; and to have such other clauses, limitacions, provisions and condicions therein inserted as in such cases are usuall, and that the lease bee taken out before the next assemblie.

1661.
Browne.
Rent.

Fine.

Capons.
Christmas.

[13.] That William Brereton, clerke, shalbee presented to the viccaradge of Taghdow, in the countie of Kildare, hee performeing such duties as are therefore to bee performed ; and that the recorder doe drawe upp a graunt of the same, with such clauses as shalbee thought convenient by him.

Brereton.
Taghdow,
Kildare.
Duties.

[14.] Whereas William Harvey, scavenger of this cittie, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee beinge appointed and authorised to bee scavenger of this honourable cittie, and, in compensacion of his paines and chardge, to take and receive the toll of all corne brought and exposed to sale within the cittie or liberties thereof ; and whereas the petitioner latelie tooke the toll of certaine corne within the liberties of this cittie which was bought or belonged unto one Henry Steele, of Oxmanton, malster, the which Henry Steele hath arrested the petitioner for soe doeinge, and that the petitioner (to procure his libertie) hath entred securitie to aunswere the said suite, though to his greate damadge and disadvantage ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to nominatt and appointe some honest, fitt and able person not onely to maintaine the said suite already commenced against the petitioner by the said Henry

William
Harvey,
scavenger.

Toll.
Corn.

Steele.
Oxmanton.

Suit.

1661. Steele, but alsoe all such other actions or suites as shalbee for the future brought against him, or by reason of his takeinge of toll of corne allowed him by this cittie for the execucion of his said office: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the said cittie doe hereby appointe Mr. Patricke Tallant to man-
 nadge the said suite, and everie other suite which shalbee commenced against the petitioner soe farre forth as the cittie is bound thereunto, and that the said Mr. Tallant may bee soe impowered by a letter of attorney under the common seale of this cittie for soe doinge. Roll xiv.
m. 11.
m. 14 b.
- Patrick Tallant.
- Sanderton, plumber. [15.] Whereas likewise John Sanderton, plumber, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath expended in leade and sodder, workemen and labourers, for the amendment of the maine pipe of this cittie in severall places (as by an accompte unto the said petition annexed appeareth, and for which hee hath not receaved any satisfaction), the summe of fiftie two pounds, twelve shillings and eight pence; and therefore the petitioner humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course therein for his speedie payment and satisfaction: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the masters of the cittie workes doe forthwith audite the petitioners accompte, and reporte unto Mr. Maior and Sheriffes what they finde justlie due unto the petitioner, and that Mr. Maior and Sheriffes doe take to their assistance whom they thinke fitt to asseesse soe much uppon the severall branches as shalbee found due unto the petitioner.
- Expenditure. Main pipe.
- Masters of works.
- Assessment. Branches.
- Cory. Three-penny customs.
- Profits.
- [16.] Whereas Dorothea Cory, widdow, the relict of William Cory, late collector of the threepenny customes of this cittie, deceased, petitioned unto the said assemblie, desireinge (for certaine reasons sett forth in the said petition) to have graunted unto her the moytie of the profitts of the said threepenny customes for three yeares to come: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioner shall have of the

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m. 14 b.

profitts of the said eustomes the summe of thirtie pounds, 1661.
to bee allowed her on the eastinge of her aecomptes.

[17.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that Edward Penteny shalbee and is ^{Penteny.}
hereby admitted to bee one of the attorneys of the Tholsell ^{Attorney.}
courte of this eittie of Dublin, in the place and steede of ^{Tholsel.}
Oliver Warren, late attorney of the said courte, as it was ^{Court.}
graunted unto the said Oliver Warren, who assigned ^{Warren.}
over the said place of attorney unto the said Edward
Penteny.

m. 15.

1661-2. Fourth Friday after 25th Deeember, 1661. ^{1661-2.}

Laws, orders, and constitutions :— [1.] Whereas,
certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said
assemblie, praying that the committee appointed by ^{Committee.}
acte of assemblie might bee inlarged, and a certaine
time limited. wherein they are to acte for settinge leases ^{Leases in}
in reveieion, and that the monneyes received from everie ^{reversion.}
person that shall treat and agree for the said leases in
reveieion might bee forthwith paid to such creditors as ^{Creditors.}
have any debtes or morgages on this eittie, to the end ^{Mortgages.}
the intent of the said acte may bee performed: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the forsaid
assemblie, that the Maior and Sheriffes, the threasurer,
Alderman Huehinson, Alderman Quine, Alderman
Deey, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. William Hill, Mr. George
Surdevele, and Mr. Thomas Howard, or any five of them,
whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwayes
two, bee the committee to treat and agree for settinge
of leases in reveieion, and that the said committee shall
continue untill the next midsommer assemblie, and that
the said committee doe reporte their said agreement ^{Report.}
unto the assemblie, that the said assemblie may finallie
conclude with such persons as the said committee shall
treat and agree with, as aforsaid, if they shall thinke fitt.
[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
petition unto the said assembly, desireinge that a speedie

1661-2. course might bee layde downe therein, whereby what monneyes have hitherto beene paied, or shall hereafter
 City tenants, bee paied by any of the eittie tennantes for leases in
 Lands, Mortgage, reveiion from this eittie, might'bee forthwith paied for
 Marke Quine, redeemeinge the eittie lands that are morgaged, and to
 none other use: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
 authoritie aforsaid, that such monneyes as are received
 by the treasurer for leases in reveiion bee paied to
 Alderman Marke Quine, by Tuesday night next, who is
 to bee bound within one weeke after to make upp the
 said monneyes, the summe of five hundred pounds,
 sterling, which said monneyes the said Marke Quine is
 to pay within one weeke thereafter to Alderman
 Huchinson, or his assignes, for the redempcion of the
 lands of Clontuirke, in the countie of Dublin, and that
 the said Marke Quine to have the eittie seale for
 reimbursinge the said Marke Quine, or his assignes, of
 what hee shall in this ease disburse as aforsaid, with
 interest at ten pounds per centum untill imbursed.

[3.] Whereas likewise certaine of the said commons
 did petieion unto the said assembly, sheweinge that there
 hath great damadge and inconvenience heretofore hap-
 pened, and still doth from time to time happen and
 Treasurer, acerewe, unto the eittie, by reason that the threasurer is
 City seal, not impowred unlesse under the eittie seale to distraine
 Rents, for the rentes due unto the eittie; and therefore they
 humbly prayed the said assemblie, by an acte thereof, to
 Distrain, impowre the present and successive threasurers of this
 eittie, not onely to distraine for rentes due unto the
 eittie, but for want of sufficient distresse to bee found to
 re-enter uppon such premises as shalbee found in arreare:
 it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
 aforsaid, that the threasurer for the time beinge bee
 impowred to distraine as in the petition is desired, and
 for want of suffieient distresse, to re-enter if it be lawfull.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
 petieioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that many

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persons inhabiteinge in forraine corporacions as London, 1661-2.
Yorke, Bristoll, Southampton, Dover, Sandwich, Hastings, Foreign
Rye, Winchester, Conway, Beaumoris, Carnarvan, Herford- corporations,
west, Lynn, Kilkenny, Wicklowe, Arklowe, Wexford, tions.
Youghall, and Rosse, doe (as the petitioners are Franchises.
credibly informed) procure to bee free in the said corporacions, although they never reside there, and doe
trade and traffique into this cittie, haveinge taken the Trade,
said freedoms in the said forraine corporacions of Traffic.
purpose to pay noe pettie customes here, to the greate Petty
prejudice of this cittie ; and therefore the said commons customs.
prayed the said assemblie to lay downe a course therein, where by the said persons might have noe benefitt by
theire said freedoms; it is therefore ordered and Freedoms.
agreed, by the said authoritie, that noe persons shalbee admitted to the freedoms in the petition mencioned
unlesse the said persons bee free of this cittie, or of such
citties or corporacions as are free with this cittie, and bee
resident within the said citties or corporacions.

[5.] Whereas likewise certaine of the said commons preferred petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that
sir Theophilus Jones, knight, havinge performed many acceptable services for this cittie, and in particuler the
procureinge unto the successive Maiors of this cittie from his sacred majestie the foote companie graunted by his
majestie unto Alderman Robert Deey, after the death of Foot
the said alderman ; and therefore they prayed this company.
assemblie that they would bee pleased as a marke of Deey.
theire favour unto the said sir Theophilus Jones, for his
good services unto this cittie, to lay downe a course therein, whereby the said sir Theophilus Jones might bee
remunerated by some graunt unto him from this cittie : Remunera-
it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaide tion.
authoritie, that the summe of fiftie pounds, sterling, bee
given for a peece of plate to bee presented to sir Presenta-
Theophilus Jones his lady, with the cittie armes engraven Plate.
thereon ; as alsoe the said sir Theophilus Jones to be City arms.

1661-2.
Foreign
corporations,
tions.

Franchises.

Trade,
Traffic.

Petty
customs.

Freedoms.

Sir
Theophilus
Jones,
Services
to city.
Mayors.

Foot
company.
Deey.

Remunera-
tion.

Presenta-
tion.
Plate.
City arms.

1661-2. disbursed his chardge expended for the procurement of the said graunt, and that the threasurer bee required to advaunce the monney for the same. Roll xiv.
m. 15.

Militia. [6.] Whereas alsoe the committee of the militia of this cittie did petition unto the assemblie aforsaid, sheweinge that the said committee beinge made sensible of the ruinous condicion of the garde house neere the Tholsell in the said cittie, whereby the cittizens are exposed to greate miseries and hardships in watchinge for the securitie of the cittie for his majesties use; the said committee therefore humbly desired that a course might bee layde downe in the said assemblie for the reparation of the said garde house at the chardge of the cittie as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that Mr. Maior and Sheriffes doe by their warrant forthwith applott or cause to bee applotted upon the severall inhabitants of this cittie and suburbs the summe of twentie pounds for the reparation of the said courte of garde, and that captain Surdevele and captain Fowkes, with the masters of the cittie works, bee imployed and desired to undertake the said worke, and to receive the said monney soe levied, and to accompte for the same to the Maior and Sheriffes.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that Patricke Tallant, esquire, shall have a lease in revercion, for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares, uppon a plott of ground neere adjoyneinge to White Friers gate, and adjoyneinge to the said Patricke Tallants now dwellinge house, belonginge to this cittie, and fermerlie demised by this cittie unto the right honourable Francis, Lord Aungier, which lease in revercion is to commence presentlie after the end and expiration or other determinacion of the said lord Aungiers lease of the premises from this cittie, at the yearely rent of tenn shillings, sterling, and for the fine of fiftene pounds, sterling.

[8.] That the master, wardens and fraternitie of the

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n. 15 b.

corporacion of barber chirurgions in this cittie shall have (for the use of the said corporacion) a lease for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, to beginn at Easter next, uppon Saint Pauls gate in this cittie, contayneinge in length from south to north thirtie foote, or thereabouts, and in breadth from east to west three and twentie foote, or thereabouts, at the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, and a couple of capons to Mr. Maior for the time beinge, reserveinge the portecullis roome for the cittie in times of danger.

1661-2.
Barber
surgeons.

St. Paul's
gate.

Portecullis.

[9.] That the lease graunted to Sarah Weston, late of this cittie, widdow, deccased, uppon one house in Cookestreete (beinge drawn, ready to bee perfected before her death, was not soe done), shalbee accordinge to the former graunt aforsaid perfected in the names of Alderman Ridgley Hatfield and the rest of the trustees for the children of the said Sarah Weston, to and for the use of the said children : provided that the arreares of rent bee paied since the time the contracte was made by Alderman Samuel Weston, deceased, late husband to the said Sarah Weston, with this cittie.

Cooke
street.

Hatfield.

[10.] Whereas Ann Powell, the reliefe of Henry Powell, late one of the waterbailiffes of this cittie, did petition unto the assemblie aforsaid, sheweinge that there was at the time of his death due to the said Henry Powell the summe of seaven pounds, sterling, for his stipend as waterbailiffe aforsaid; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to give order for the payment of the said seaven pounds unto her : it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the contentes of the said petition (as to that particuler) bee referred to the auditors of this cittie, uppon whose reporte made therein to Mr. Maior, that the said Maior shall graunt his warrant to the threasurer of this cittie for the payment of what shalbee found due and in arreare unto the petitioner.

Powell.
Water-
bailiff.

Stipend.

Anditors.

[11.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie

1661-2.
Crumpton,
Rath-
drumme,
Wicklow.

aforsaid, that Thomas Crumpton, clerke, shall bee presented to the viccaradge of the parish church of Rathdrumme in the countie of Wicklowe, hee performeing such duties as are therefore to bee performed. Roll xiv.
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Haughton.
Water-
bailiff.
Powell.

[12.] That Richard Haughton, merchant, shall have the place of one of the waterbailiffes of this cittie, which Henry Powell, deceased, lathelie held, together with the fees and perquisittes thereunto belonginge, duriinge the pleasur of this cittie, and that the said Richard Haughton doe give unto Mr. John Betson the yearly summe of tenn pounds, sterling, paiable quarterlie for foure yeares, if the said John Betson live soe longe, and the said Richard Haughton soe longe enjoy the said place.

Betson.

Franchise. Admissions to franchise.

m. 18.

1662.

1662.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas Amos m. 16.

Mayor.
Parliament.
Duke of
Ormonde,
Dublin.

Ogden, servant unto Mr. Maior, preferred petition unto this assemblee, sheweinge that the parliament beinge shortlie to meete in this cittie, and his grace the duke of Ormonde, lord lieftenant of Ireland, beinge sodainelie to come into this cittie, it wilbee expected that the petitioners said master (to aunswere the dignitie of his imployment and the creditt of this cittie in that juncture of time) must bee at more than ordinarie chardges, farre beyond the allowance layde downe for him by this cittie; and therefore the petitioner humbly prayed this assemblee to lay downe a course therein, whereby the petitioners said master (to enable him henceforth the better to support the creditt of the government of this cittie) might have such addicion of allowance graunted to him by the said assemblee as might in some measure aunswere the dignitie of his place and the creditt of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the

Charges.

Govern-
ment of
Dublin.

¹ 14 Charles II.

² Easter-day, 30th March, 1662.

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m. 16.

authoritie of the said assemblie (for the reasons in the ^{1662.} petition aforsaid mencioned), that the petitioners said master (the better to enable him to supporte the creditt of the governement of this cittie, and aunswere the dignitie and creditt of his place therein) shall have, as an addicion of allowance to his former allowance allowed ^{Additional allowance.} unto him by this cittie, the summe of one hundred pounds, sterling.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, desireinge (for certaine reasons sett forth in the said petition) that soe many of the severall persons compounded with for leases in revercion by the ^{Com-positions, Leases.} committee for that purpose appointed as shall have their desires and agreements of the said committee or otherwise confirmed by this present assemblie, bee ordered to pay unto the hands of Alderman Marke Quine the ^{Quine.} severall summes as shalbee paiable by them for the said graunts untill the summe of two hundred and tenn pounds (disbursed by him on the behalfe of this cittie for the redempcion of the lands of Clontuirke, in the countie ^{Clontuirke.} of Dublin, together with the summe of twentie two shillings disbursed by him to counceill for draweing the instrument under the cittie seale for his securitie, bee ^{City seal.} fully satisfied him: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the summe of two hundred and eleven pounds and two shillings which shall first bee paid for leases in revercion shalbee receaved by Alderman Quine, accordinge to the request in the petition.

[3.] Whereas certaine of the commons did preferre petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that in a former assemblie¹ it was enacted that sir Theophilus ^{Sir Theophilus Jones.} Jones, knight, should bee reimbursed such monney as should defray the chardge hee was at in procureinge his majesties graunt for the foote companie to the successive ^{Grant, Foot company.}

¹ See p. 221.

1662.	Maiores, and likewise, for his affectionatt care of this	Roll xiv. m. 10.
Plate.	citties welfare and concernmentes, there should bee presented to his lady a peece of plate of fiftie pounds value, which hetherto is not done, the honnor of the cittie beinge	
Delays.	concerned therein, and delayes beinge soe very unsutable to such a graunt; the said commons therefore humbly desired that a course might bee layde downe in this present assemblie that their acte herein may bee effectuallie and speedilie observed: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the fiftie pounds above mencioned, together with the summe of thirtie pounds for takeinge out his majesties patent, and other chardges in England, bee paid by the threasurer uppon the Maiors warrant.	
Patent.	[4.] Whereas James, ¹ lord baron of Santry, lord chiefe justice of his majesties courte of chiefe place in Ireland, did petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath an intrest for sixtie and odd yeares yett to come in a certaine parcell of land belonginge to this cittie, called the Pill, over the water, at the rent of eight pounds per annum; and for that hee is willinge to improve the same, if hee might have a fee fearme thereof from this cittie, payinge eight pounds a yeare yearelie to this cittie for ever, and one hundred pounds fine; and for that hee hath uppon all occasions cheerefullie manifested his good affection to this cittie, hee therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt unto him a fee fearme of the premises at the yearelie rent of eight pounds, and one hundred pounds fine: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioners request (accordinge as in the said petition is contained) is graunted. Provided that there bee twentie and one foote at the least in breadth left free and common for all persons as a highway from the king's way that goeth to	
England.		
Baron of Santry.		
Pill.		
Improve-ment.		
Rent.		
Fine.		
City.		
Reserva-tion.		
Highway.		

¹ James Barry, son of Alderman Richard Barry, Mayor of Dublin in 1610, was created baron of Santry, co. Dublin, in 1661-2.

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Saint Mary Abbey to the Liffie side, neere the wall belonging to sir Robert Meredyth, knight, and all alonge the Liffie side from the said wall eastward to Mistress Piphoe's parke. Provided alsoe that noe forrainer may bee countenanced or admitted to reside on the land hereby graunted, who shall exercise any trade or merchandises; the clauses in the lease formerlie made of the premises to bee inserted [in] the deed or graunt to bee drawn by Mr. Recorder, with such provisoes, clauses, covenants and condicions as shalbee thought meete for the just advantage of the cittie.

1662.
Saint
Mary's
abbey.
Meredith.

Piphoe.
Exclusion

Recorder

[5.] Whereas alsoe John Bysse, esquire, lord chiefe baron of his majesties courte of exchequer in Ireland, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas he derives, by lease from this cittie, beareinge date the fourth Fridaie next after the feast of the Nativitie of Saint John Baptist, anno Domini 1639, an interest for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares commencing from the said fourth Fridaie next after the forsaid feast day of the Nativitie of Saint John Baptist, 1639, in the tower over the Damasgate, with the appurtenances, with the way or staires into the same, one tower commonly called Buttevant's Tower, situatt uppon the wall of the said cittie, with the appurtenances, and another tower or flankard, standing uppon the said wall, situatt betweene the said Damasgate and Buttevant's [Tower] aforsaid, with all and everie the appurtenances to them and everie of them belonging, and alsoe in one messuage or tenement, with a backside in Saint Thomastreete, in the suburbs of this cittie of Dublin, wherein one Crosby, a saddler, once dwelt, at the yearelie rent of sixe shillings and eight pence, sterling, for the forsaid tower, and fiftene shillings yearelie for the said messuage; whereuppon the petitioner hath moved the committee for leases in revercion, and treated and agreed with them for a new lease in revercion for ninetie and nine yeares to come of the lease

John
Bysse.

Damas
gate.

Butte-
vant's
tower.

St.
Thomas'
street.

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1662. now in beinge of the premises, at the rents in the said Roll xiv.
m. 16 b. lease meneioned, and for the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, to bee paied to the treasurer of the eittie for the use of the said eittie, and therefore the petieioner humbly prayed this assemblie to graunte unto him a lease in revereion of all and singuler the premises, at the yearelie rentes formerlie reserved on the forsaid premises in the forsaid lease for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares, hee payinge unto the treasurer of this eittie, for the use of the said eittie, the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, and the former rentes reserved in the said lease : it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petieioner (payinge unto Alderman Marke Quine, for the use of this eittie, the summe of fifteene pounds, sterling, fine out of the premises), shall have a lease in revereion of all and singuler the premises for ninetie and nine yeares after the determinacion of the lease now in beinge of the premises made unto the said John Bysse, and payeinge duellie the rentes reserved in the former lease unto the treasurer of this eittie for the time beinge, for the use of this eittie, with such other covenantes, elauses, and eondicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert therein ; with free libertie for this eittie, in time of warre or rebellion, to have free egresse and regresse into the said towers, and useinge them dureinge the said time of warre or rebellion as oecasion shall require ; this graunt to bee voyde uppon default of payment of the said fine.
- Recorder. [6.] Whereas sir James Ware, knight, preferred likewise peticion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath an interest, for twelve yeares yett to come, of sixteene yards in length and foure foote in breadth, beinge parte of the eittie wall leased by this eittie unto Alderman Barry, at the rent of thirtie seaven shillings and sixe pence, sterling, and the halfe of that parcell of the said wall formerlie leased to Alderman Kennedy by this eittie at eighteene shillings and nine pence per
- Quine.
- War.
Rebellion.
- Sir James
Ware.
- City wall.
Barry.
- Kennedy.

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m. 16 b.

annum, beinge eight yards in the whole twentie foure ^{1662.}
yards in both the parcells; and for that the petitioner
hath treated and agreed with the committee appointed <sup>Committee
for leases.</sup>
for leases in revercion for a lease of ninetie and nine
yeares of the premises, surrendring all his interest in the
former leases unto this cittie, and paying unto the
threasurer of this cittie for the use of the said cittie the
summe of seaventie pounds, sterling, and the rentes for-
merlie reserved on the premises yearelie to the treasurer
of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie; the petitioner
therefore humbly praied this assemblie to graunt unto
him a lease of the premises for ninetie and nine yeares,
to commence at Easter last, surrendringe his former
interest and payinge the fine of seaventie pounds, sterling,
unto this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, and the rent
formerlie reserved on the premises, dureinge the said
tearme: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioners request is
graunted, payinge the fine of seaventie pounds, sterling, ^{Fine.}
within sixe dayes after the date hereof unto Alderman
Marke Quine, otherwise this graunt to bee voyde; the ^{Quine.}
lease to containe such covenants and condicions as Mr.
Recorder shall thinke fitt, the petitioner surrendringe
up his former interest to the cittie.

[7.] Whereas Francis Little, esquire, petitioned unto <sup>Francis
Little.</sup>
the forsaid assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath by meane
assignement from sir William Bushopp, knight, deceased, <sup>Sir William
Bushopp.</sup>
a lease from this cittie, beareinge date the fourteenth day
of October, 1631, of a plott of ground neere adioyneinge
to the brick wall uppon Hoggen Greene, contayneinge in <sup>Hoggen
Greene
Bridewell.</sup>
length, from the corner of the wall of Bridewell north-
warde to a stone which is sixe yards from the wall neere
to Blindgate, fortie and sixe yards, and in breadth, from ^{Blind Gate.}
the aforsaid stone unto the cheeke of the doore next to
Blindgate aforsaid, sixe yards and a halfe, for sixtie and
one yeares from the date aforsaid, at the yearely rent of
twelve shillings, sterling, dureinge the said tearme and

1662. forasmuch as the petitioner hath treated and agreed with Roll xiv.
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 Committee the committee for leases in revereion for a lease of the
 for leases. premises for ninetie and nine yeares, at eighteene shillings
 rent yearely to the threasurer of this cittie, for the use
 of the said eittie, and payinge unto the said threasurer,
 for the use of this eittie, thirtie pounds fine, the petieioner
 therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt to him
 a lease of the premises for ninetie and nine yeares at the
 rent and fine aforsaid, hee surrendringe the former
 lease : it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
 forsaid authoritie, that the petieioners request is graunted,
 payinge the thirtie pounds fine unto Alderman Marke
 Quine. Quine within sixe dayes after the date hereof, and
 surrendringe the former lease, with such other clauses and
 eondicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. If the
 monney bee not paied the graunt shalbee voyde, hee
 freeinge the eittie of all incumbrances of former grauntes.
- Josua [8.] Whereas Josua Allen, merchant, did petition unto
 Allen. the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath an interest by
 vertue of a lease¹ from this eittie, made in the yeare 1608,
 of certaine houses or tenements situatt in Newroe,
 New row. leadeinge to Gormonds gate, unto Alderman Edmond
 Gormonds gate. Malone, deeeased, which interest is come unto the peti-
 Malone. eioner by meane assignement ; and forasmuch as hee hath
 treated and agreed with the committee for leases in
 Reversion. revereion for a lease of the premises for ninetie and nine
 yeares, at the rent of sixe pounds and five shillings,
 sterling, yearelie, dureinge the said tearme unto the
 threasurer of this eittie, for the use of this cittie, and
 payinge seaventie pounds, sterling, fine to the said
 threasurer, to the use of the said eittie ; the petieioner
 therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt unto
 him a lease of the premises for ninetie and nine yeares,
 to commenee from Easter last, at the rent and fine afor-
 said, to bee paied by him unto the threasurer of this cittie,
 for the use of the said eittie : it is therefore ordered and

¹ See vol. ii. p. 505.

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m. 13 b.

agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the petitioner shall have a lease in revercion of the forsaid houses or tenementes scituatt in Newroe, leadeinge to Gormonds gate aforsaid, in as lardge and ample manner as the same was graunted unto Alderman Malone, deceased, for eightie and one yeares, to commence after the determination, surrender, forfeiture or other avoydance of the lease made unto the said Alderman Malone, the said Josua Allen payinge within sixe dayes after the date hereof unto Alderman Marke Quine, for the use of this cittie. the summe of seaventie pounds, sterling, and alsoe yeeldinge and payinge yearelie to the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, dureinge the said tearme, the yearelie rent of sixe pounds and five shillings, sterling; with such other clauses, covenants and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to bee inserted in the said lease.

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[9.] Whereas, Elizabeth Bollardt, widdow, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that there is due unto her husband, Henry Bollardt, deceased, the summe of eightie pounds, sterling, with interest at eight pounds per centum for the same sithence Easter assemblie, 1657, as by an acte of assemblie, dated the fourth Fridaie next after the feast of the Nativitie of St. John Baptist, 1660, may appeare; and forasmuch as there are many debtes due on the petitioners said husband which shee can in noe way pay unlesse shee bee forthwith paid the said summe due on this cittie; and therefore shee prayed humbly this assemblie to give order that shee might bee paid the said summe, with interest as aforsaid, accordinge to the said acte: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the forsaid authoritie, that the treasurer doe pay unto the petitioner the above summe, together with what shalbee due for the interest, accordinge to the said acte of assemblie, out of such monneyes as shalbee raised by settinge of leases in revercion after Alderman Quine is paid.

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Mayor.

[10.] Mr. John Cranwell, alderman, is chosen Maior of this cittie of Dublin for the next ensueinge yeare. Roll xiv.
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Sheriffs.

[11.] Mr. Christopher Bennett, and Mr. Samuel Stanebridge are chosen Sheriffes of the said cittie for the said yeare.

Franchise.

Admissions to franchise :

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1662. Fourth Friday after 24th June.

m. 21.

John Byssse,
chief baron.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas John Byssse, esquire, lord chiefe baron of his majestie's courte of exchequer in Ireland, petieioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge (etc., as at p. 227), for the use of the said cittie; and whereas the petitioner, in Easter assemblie last, had an order for a new lease graunted unto him uppon the premises accordingly, but tooke not the same forth, nor paid the forsaid fine; hee therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to renew the said order, and to graunt him a lease in reversion of all and singuler the premises, at the yearelie rentes formerlie reserved on the forsaid premises in the forsaid lease, for the tearme of ninetie nine yeares, hee payinge unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, the forsaid fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, and the former rentes reserved in the said lease: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this present assemblie, that the petitioner, payinge unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, the summe of fifteene pounds, sterling, fine out of the premises, shall have a lease (etc., as at p. 228).

William
Smith.

[2.] Whereas, alsoe, William Smith, alderman, preferred petieion unto the said assembly, sheweinge that hee hath a lease now in beinge, dated the third Friday next after the feast of the Nativitie of our Lord God, 1629, for a parte of Searlett lane, which is adjoyneinge unto one other parte thereof, latelie in the possession of one Thomas Hatch, contayneinge in breadth on the east end thereof foure yards and a quarter, or thereabouts,

Searlett
lane.

Hatch.

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and at the west end thereof seaven yards, and in length ^{1662.} from Arglas his land on the east to Moodyes land, parcell ^{Ardglas. Moody.} of the said lane, on the west, three score yards and a quarter; and for that the petitioner hath treated and agreed with the committee appointed for leases in reversion for a new lease of the premises in reversion for ninetie nine yeares, for the fine of eight pounds, and the yearelie rent of tenn shillings sterling, to bee paid to the threasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to graunt him a lease of the premises in reversion for ninetie nine yeares, to commence at the expiration of the former lease, payinge the fine of eight pounds unto the cittie, and the said yearelie rent of tenn shillings: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioner have a graunt of the premises for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, for the fine of eight pounds, to bee paid unto Alderman Daniel Wybrants, ^{Daniel Wybrants.} towards the redempcion of Baldoyle, ^{Baldoyle.} and under the yearelie rent of tenn shillings, sterling, to bee paid to the threasurer of this cittie, for the time being, for the use of this cittie, and to pay a couple of fatt capons or five shillings yearelie unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge, at the election of the said Maior, and the said rent to bee freed from all and all manner of chardges whatsoever, and that such other clauses bee incerted therein as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[3.] Whereas likewise Alderman Daniel Wybrants did ^{Daniel Wybrants.} preferre petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath, by meane assignement from Robert Cusacke, a parte of a wall in Castle streete, on which there is a ^{Castle street.} house builte, and that the same is ruined and old, and for that hee is willinge to improve the same, and hath alsoe treated and agreed with the committee appointed for leases in reversion for a lease of ninetie nine yeares of the premises in reversion, payinge unto the threasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, the summe of

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fifteene pounds, sterling, and the rent of twentie shillings, sterling, per annum, dureinge the said tearme; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblee to graunt him a lease of the premises for ninetie nine yeares in reversion, to commence at the expiration of the former lease, payinge the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, and the said yearlie rent of twentie shillings, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the premises bee graunted to the petitioner for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares in reversion, accordinge to the petition, hee payinge the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, which hee is to detaine in his owne hands towards the redempcion of Baldoyle, and the rent of twentie shillings, sterling, per annum, dureinge the said tearme, unto the treasurer of the cittie, and to pay likewise a couple of fatt capons or five shillings yearlie to the Maior of this cittie (etc., as at p. 233). Roll. xiv.
m. 21.

Daniel
Wybrauts.

Vaneynd-
houen.
Cistle
street.

[4.] Whereas alsoe the said Daniel Wybrauts, alderman, petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweinge that hee hath an intrest, by meane assignement from Alderman Peter Vaneyndhouen, deceased, in a parte of a wall in Castle streete, contayneinge twentie and foure foote in length and foure foote in breadth, whereon there is a house builde, and in the said petitioners possession; and for that hee hath beene at greate chardges in repairinge thereof, and hath treated and agreed with the committee appointed for leases in reversion for a lease of sixtie and one yeares in reversion, payinge unto the treasurer of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, and the rent of twentie shillings, sterling, per annum; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblee to graunt to him a lease of the premises for sixtie and one yeares in reversion, to commence at the expiration of the former lease, payinge the said fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, unto the treasurer of this cittie,

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for the use of this cittie, and the said yearelie rent of 1662.
twentie shillings, sterling: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the premises bee
graunted accordinge to the petition, and that the
petitioner doe pay the summe of fifteene pounds, sterling,
which hee is to deteine in his owne hands, towards the
redempcion of Baldoyle, and the yearelie rent of twentie Baldoyle.
shillings, sterling, to bee paied to the threasurer of this
cittie for the time beinge, for the use of this cittie, and
a couple of fatt capons yearelie, or five shillings yearelie,
to the Maior of the said cittie (etc., as at p. 233).

[5.] Whereas alsoe Peter Wybrants, alderman, did pre- Peter
Wybrants.
ferre petition unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee
hath an interest of a parcell of ground on the right hand
of the way leadinge from Saint Francis Gate to the St. Francis'
Gate.
Combe
Gate.
Combe Gate, belonginge to this cittie, now in the posses-
sion of the petitioner, and formerlie graunted to Alderman
Forster; and for that the petitioner is willinge to improve
the same, and hath treated and agreed with the com-
mittee appointed for the leases in revercion for a lease of
ninetie nine yeares of the premises in revercion, payinge
unto the threasurer of this cittie, for the use of this
cittie, tenn pounds, sterling, and the rent formerly
reserved on the premises yearelie to the threasurer of
this cittie, to the use of this cittie; the petitioner there-
fore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt him a lease
of the premises for sixtie and one yeares in revercion, to
commence at the expiracion of the former lease, payinge
the said fine of tenn pounds, sterling, unto the threasurer
of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, and the rent
formerlie reserved on the premises, dureinge the said
tearme: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the forsaid
authoritie, that the premises bee graunted to the petitioner
accordinge to the prayer of the said petition, at the fine
of tenn pounds, sterling, to bee paied to Alderman Daniel
Wybrants towards the redempcion of Baldoyle, and at Daniel
Wybrants.
Baldoyle.
the yearelie rent of thirtie shillings, sterling, yearelie,

1662. paialle to the threasurer of this eittie, for the use of this eittie, and to pay a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, to the Maior of this eittie (ete., as at p. 233). Roll xiv.
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Tallant. [6.] Whereas Patrieke Tallant, esquire, petieioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath a lease for thirtie nine yeares yett to come of one house in High streete, Dublin, at the rent of five pounds per annum; and for that hee hath bestowed much in improveinge the same, and hath duelic paid the rent out of the same to the threasurer of this eittie, for the use of this eittie; and for that alsoe hee hath treated and agreed with the committee appointed for leases in reversion for a lease of ninetie nine yeares in reversion of the premises, and payinge unto the threasurer of this eittie, for the use of this eittie, fifteene pounds, sterling, and the rent formerlie reserved on the premises yearelie; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt him a lease of the premises for ninetie nine yeares, to commence at the expiracion of the former lease, paying the said fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, unto the threasurer of this eittie for the use of the said eittie, and the rent formerlie reserved on the premises, dureinge the said tearme: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the petitioner have a graunt of the premises for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares in reversion, at the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, to bee paid to Alderman Daniel Wybrants, towards the redempcion of Baldoyle, and at the yearelie rent of five pounds, sterling, to bee paid to the threasurer of this eittie, for the time beinge, for the use of the said eittie, and to pay a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings yearelie, to the Maior of the said eittie (ete., as at p. 233).

Daniel
Wybrants.

Sibthorpe. [7.] Whereas Christopher Sibthorpe, gentleman, preferred petieion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee hath, by meane assignment from Emanuel Downeinge. Downeinge, deceased, in right of Elizabeth Sibthorpe, an

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orphant, an interest in a parcell of the stone wall^{1662.}
belonginge unto this cittie in Castlestreete, contayneinge
eight yards, adjoyneing to Mr. John Cusacke, alderman,<sup>Castle
street,
Cusacke.</sup>
his proporcion of the said wall, and Alderman William
Bushopps proporcion thereof; and for that the petitioner^{Bushopp.}
hath treated and agreed with the committee appointed
for leases in reversion for a lease of the premises for
ninetie nine yeares, at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings
and foure pence, and the fine of tenn pounds, sterling;
the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to
graunt him a lease of the premises for ninetie nine
yeares, in reversion, to commence at the expiration of
the former lease, payinge the fine of tenn pounds unto
this cittie and the said yearelie rent of twentie shillings
and foure pence, sterling: it is therefore ordered and
agreed, by the said authoritie, that the premises bee
graunted to the petitioner for the tearme of sixtie and
one yeares in reversion, payinge the fine of tenn pounds,
sterling, to Alderman Daniel Wybrants, towards the<sup>Daniel
Wybrants.</sup>
redempcion of Baldoyle, and at the yearelie rent of^{Baldoyle.}
twentie shillings and foure pence, sterling, to bee paid
to the threasurer of this cittie, for the use of the said
cittie, and payinge a couple of fatt capons yearelie to the
Maioir of this cittie (etc., as at p. 233).

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[8.] Whereas alsoe Robert Whitfeild, gentleman,^{Whitfeild.}
petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that hee
hath an interest, by meane assignment, in the right of
Elizabeth, the relict of Gilbert Tonques, of this cittie of^{Tonques.}
Dublin, goldsmith, deceased, in a parte of a wall in Castle-<sup>Castle
street.</sup>
streete, demised by this cittie unto sir William Bushopp,<sup>Sir William
Bushopp.</sup>
knight, deceased, whereon there is a house builte and in
the petitioners possession; and for that hee hath benee
at great chardges in improveinge the same, and hath
treated and agreed with the committee appointed for
leases in reversion for a lease of ninetie nine yeares of
the premises in reversion, payinge to the threasurer
of this cittie, for the use of this cittie, fifteene pounds,

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sterling, fine, and the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt him a lease of ninetie nine yeares of the premises in reversion, to commence at the end and expiration of the former lease, payinge the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, unto this cittie, and the said yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling: it is, therefore, ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the premises bee graunted to the petitioner for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares in reversion, and for the fine of fifteene pounds, sterling, to bee paid to Alderman Daniel Wybrants for the redemption of Baldoyle, and at the yearelie rent of twentie shillings, sterling, to bee paid to the treasurer of this cittie for the time beinge, for the use of the said cittie, and to pay a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings yearelie, to the Maior of this cittie, (etc., as at p. 233).

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m. 22.Daniel
Wybrants.
Baldoyle.Bishop of
Meath.Bowling
alley.
Hoggen
Green.Checquer
lane.

Building.

Quine.

[9] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the forsaid authoritie, that Henry,¹ lord bishopp of Meath, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninetie and nine yeares from Easter last past, uppon all that the wast peece of ground, commonlie called the Bowleinge Alley, on Hoggen Greene, in the suburbes of this cittie of Dublin, enclosed with a mudd wall, contayneinge in length, from north to south, one hundred, fiftie and sixe foote, and in breadth, from east to west, at the end thereof towards Checquer lane, one hundred and sixe foote, bee it more or lesse, at the yearelie rent of three pounds, sterling, hee, his executors, administrators, or assignes beinge engaged to lay out in buildeinge on the said ground the summe of five hundred pounds, sterling, within seaven yeares after the date hereof; with such other clauses and condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert in the said lease; and the said lord bishop of Meath payinge unto Alderman Marke Quine the summe of fiftie pounds, sterling, within sixe dayes

¹ Henry Jones, Protestant bishop of Clogher, translated to the see of Meath in 1661.

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after date hereof, otherwise this graunte to bee voyde ; 1662.
as alsoe to surrender his former lease.

[10.] Whereas alsoe the said Henry, lord bishopp of Bishop of Meath. Meath, petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas this cittie, in Michaelmas assemblie last, graunted unto him a lease, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, uppon a plott of ground on Hoggen Greene Hoggen Green. Hill. (etc., as at p. 215) of the said hill, as by the said acte may more fully appeare. And forasmuch as the petitioner neglected to take out the said lease, beinge then in the countrie, and hee beinge willinge to improve the premises for pious uses, hee, the petitioner, humbly prayed this assemblie to graunt him a lease of the premises for ninetie nine yeares at the rent aforsaid ; and that the forsaid fortie foote bee reduced unto thirtie foote : it is therefore Reduction. ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the premises bee graunted to the petitioner, for the tearme of sixtie and one yeares, at the yearely rent of five pounds and tenn shillings, sterling, to bee paied to the threasurer of this cittie for the time beinge, for the use of this cittie, and a couple of fatt capons yearelie, or five shillings, to the Maior of the said cittie for the time beinge, at the election of the said Maior, and to give a booke of Book of statutes. the statutes of Ireland to this cittie, and the said rent to bee freed from all chardges whatsoever, and that the forsaid fortie foote bee reduced to thirtie foote and that the petitioner doe pay the fine of tenn pounds, sterling, to Alderman Daniel Wybrants, towards the redempcion Daniel Wybrants, Baldoyle. of Baldoyle, and that such other clauses bee inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[11.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that sir Henry Titchborne,¹ knight, shall have Sir Henry Titchborne. a lease for the tearme of ninetie nine yeares uppon a parcell of wast land on the Hoggen Greene, southway Hoggen Green. of the way leadeinge to the Colledge, contayneinge in

¹ Marshal of the army in Ireland. See "History of the Irish Confederation and War in Ireland." Dublin: 1891, vol. vii., p. 406.

1662. length from east to west tenn perches, at one and
 twentie foote to the perch, in breadth at the end
 thereof sixe perches, and at the west end thereof
 three perches of like measure; and uppon one other
 small parcell of ground next adjoyneinge to the before
 mencioned parcell of wast land, contayneinge in length
 from east to west eightie and foure foote, and in breadth
 from north to south fortie and eight foote, beinge
 bounded on the north with the way leadeinge to the
 College. Colledge, and on the east and south with the old trench,
 and on the west with a small passadge of three yards
 in breadth allowed for the said trench betweene the
 said small parcell of ground and the before mencioned
 parcell of wast land, at the yearelie rent of foure
 pounds, sterling, dureinge the said tearme; and for the
 Fine. fine of fortie pounds, sterling, which said fine and
 yearelie rent is to bee paied to the treasurer of this
 cittie, for the use of this cittie. And this is graunted
 for the honorable respectes due unto him for his
 Services. eminent and faithfull services in this kingdome; and
 that there bee a couple of fatt capons yearelic paied
 to the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge, or five
 shillings, at the election of the said Maior; and that the
 said rent bee paied freed and cleered of and from all and
 all manner of chardges, contribucions, subsidies and
 other chardges whatsoever.

[12.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the
 Ralph
 Wallis. authoritie aforesaid, that Ralph Wallis, gentleman, shall
 have a lease for tearme of eightie and one yeares, com-
 menceinge at Easter, 1658, uppon a wast peece of ground
 adjoyneinge to Barrocks, alias Bradocks bridge, in
 Bradocks
 bridge. Oxmantoun. Oxmantoun, formerlie demised by this cittie unto Alder-
 man Charles Forster, deccased, at the yearelie rent of
 foure pounds, sterlinge, accordinge to an acte and graunt
 of Easter assemblie, 1658, aforesaid, made unto him in
 that behalfe, hee surrendringe the lease in beinge of the
 premises; with such other clauses, covenantes, and

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condicions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert ^{1662.}
in the said lease ; and that hee doe enter into bonds for
performance of covenantes. Provided that the said
Raph Wallis doe take out his lease by the next post
assemblie, and doe pay the arreares due out of the
premises since Easter, 1658, aforsaid.

[13.] Whereas Thomas Chabiner, swordbearer, of this <sup>Chabiner,
sword-
bearer.</sup>
cittie of Dublin, petitioned unto the said assemblie,
sheweinge that there is due unto him, for a yeare and a
halves salarie, as swordbearer aforsaid, endinge at mid- ^{Salary.}
sommer last past, the summe of thirtie pounds, sterling;
the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assemblie
to lay downe a course therein for satisfyinge the said
summe unto him : it is therefore ordered and agreed, by
the said authoritie, that the threasurer of the said cittie
doe pay the said salarie of thirtie pounds due unto the
petitioner as aforsaid, it appeareinge before the auditors
of this cittie that soe much is due to bee paied him.

[14.] Whereas James Wheateley, waterbailiffe, and ^{Wheateley.}
Anne Powell, the relict of Henry Powell, waterbailiffe, <sup>Powell,
Water-
bailiff.</sup>
late deceased, did petition unto the said assemblie,
desiring that a course might bee taken and layde downe
therein for satisfying them the summe of thirteene
pounds and fifteene shillings, sterling, found due to
them by the reporte of the auditors of this cittie, as by ^{Auditors.}
theire certificatt beareinge date the five and twentieth
day of July, 1662, appeareth, for supplying and furnish-
inge the cittie guards with coales for fireinge from the <sup>City guards.
Coals.</sup>
first day of October, 1660, until the first day of May then
next followeing: it is therefore ordered and agreed,
by the authoritie aforsaid, that the threasurer of this
cittie doe forthwith pay the said summe of thirteene
pounds and fifteene shillings, sterling, unto the peti-
tioners, as is sett forth in the said petition, and appears
to bee due by the reporte of the forsaid auditors.

[15.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that Thomas Bunbury, clerke, bee established <sup>Thomas
Bunbury.</sup>

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Vicarage.
Rathmack-
nee.
Wexford.

by donation of this cittie in the viccarage of the parish of Rathmacknee, in the countie of Wexford, and that the benefitts and profitts auncientlie belonging to the said viccarage bee settled on the said Thomas Bunbury duringe the time of his beinge viccar of the said parish.

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m. 22 b.

Harris,
goldsmith.
Fireworks.

Charles II.

Corpora-
tions.

Franchise.

[16.] That the summe of threescore pounds, sterling, bee paied by the threasurer of this cittie unto Edward Harris, goldsmith, for his expenses, chardges, and laborious painestakeinge in makeinge of fire workes in this cittie at the time of proclaimeinge his sacred majestie and at his coronacion, and that the former order of levying the said summe on the severall corporacions, beareinge date the eleventh day of Aprill, 1662, be revoaked, and that the petitioner doe receive noe benefitt by the said order.

Admissions to franchise.

m. 19.

1662, July, 22.

Rebellion.

Duke of
Ormonde.

Restora-
tion of
Charles II.

Act and order:—Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned to the said assemblie, sheweinge that they beinge abundantly sensible of the greate and manifold calamities that by a longe and unparalleled rebellion hath for the space of twentie yeares last past afflicted the good subjectes of this kingdome, with whom the inhabitants of this auncient and loyall cittie have sufficientlie shared in that affliction; and when the petitioners were past hopes (in humane apprehension) of rescue from these calamities, they cannot but call to minde the hazardous undertakeinge which his grace the duke of Ormonde, from the beginninge of the said rebellion untill the ende thereof, successivelie underwent to redeeme this cittie and nation out of the jawes of confusion and destruction, his restless endeavours in prosecution of all lawfull meanes which might tend to the settlement of this nation in peace and tranquillitie, and how in particuler, since his majesties most happie restauration, hee hath beene eminentlie serviceable unto this cittie, by prosecutinge his uttermost

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m. 20.

endeavours with his sacred majestie in the restoreinge of 1662.
 this cittie to theire auncient lawes and priviledges, and
 not rested there, but, by his said endeavours as a timelie
 acceptance of the services performed by this cittie on his Services of
city.
 majesties said happie restauration, hath beene very
 instrumentall in addinge to the said priviledges, whereby
 the petitioners cannot but manifest the abundant comforte
 and contentment which, by the blessinge of God, they
 shall enjoy under his government over them, and as a Govern-
ment.
 testimony thereof, and in some measure of his many
 favours conferred on them : the petitioners therefore
 humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course
 whereby his grace (uppon his instalment into the govern-
 ment of this kingdome as a pledge of the affection of this
 cittie unto him) may be presented with such a gifte as
 may aunswere the dignitie of his place and the honnor of
 this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
 authoritie of this present assemblie, that his grace, the
 duke of Ormonde, bee presented with a golden cupp, and Presenta-
tion.
 that his grace bee likewise presented with his freedome, Golden cup.
Freedom.
 which is to bee presented to him in a golden box, to bee Golden box.
 made to that purpose; and that there bee forthwith
 advanced the summe of three hundred and fiftie pounds, Expendi-
ture.
 sterling, for makeinge the said cupp and box, and that
 the recorder bee desired to entertaine his grace with an Recorder.
 oration of an hearty welcome of his grace to this cittie, Oration.
 and that an instrument, under the cittie seale, bee made
 and passed unto Alderman Richard Tighe and his Richard
Tighe.
 assignes, for the secureinge of the said summe of three Loan.
 hundred and fiftie pounds, with interest at tenn pounds
 per centum for the same, untill the said summe bee repaid Interest.
 to the said Alderman Richard Tighe, or his assignes, the
 said Alderman Richard Tighe lending the said summe
 of three hundred and fiftie pounds this present two and
 twentieth day of July, 1662, and payinge the same over
 to Alderman Daniel Bellingham, who is desired with the Daniel
Belling-
ham.
 said monney to prepare the said cupp and box with all

1662. convenient speede, and that the said cupp and box bee of the real value of the said summe (the chardges of makeinge the same beinge deducted), over and above the contingencies of wine and fire workes and other contingencies whatsoever.

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m. 20.

Wine.
Fireworks.

1662, August 7.

Charles II.
Birthday.

Duke of
Ormonde.

Wine.
Cost.

Elizabeth
Ballardt.

Acts, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assemblie, sheweinge that the worshipfull the Maior of this cittie, for the honnor and dignitie thereof, and for the use of this cittie in theire joyfull resentment of the birthday of his sacred majestie that now is, on the twentie ninth day of May, did expend five hogsheads of wine, and five hogsheads more of wine on the recepcion of his grace the duke of Ormonde into this cittie, for which hetherto the said Maior hath receaved noe satisfaction, and therefore the said commons humbly prayed this assemblie to lay downe a course therein, whereby the said Maior may bee paid for the said tenn hogsheads of wine, amountinge to the summe of sixtie and five pounds, sterling: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of this said assemblie, that the said Maior bee forthwith satisfied the said summe of threescore and five pounds, sterling, and that the treasurer bee required forthwith to pay the same to the said Maior, and that the said Maior's acquittance bee a sufficient dischardge to the treasurer for the said summe.

[2.] Whereas Elizabeth Ballardt, widdow, did peticion unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that upon applicacion made by her unto this cittie for a debt of eightie pounds, oweinge unto the petitioners husband by this cittie, and consideracion had by the said cittie of her condicion, the said cittie was favourably pleased, by an acte of assemblie dated the eleventh of April, 1662, to order that the treasurer of the said cittie should pay unto the petitioner the said summe, together with the interest

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thereof, out of such monneyes as should bee raised by 1662.
settinge of leases in revercion, after that Alderman Marke Marke
Quine were paid, yett notwithstandinge shee is not Quine.
paid, to her utter ruine, if not speedilie relieved by this
assemblie; and therefore the petitioner humbly praied
this assemblie to order that shee bee forthwith paid,
accordinge to the forsaid acte of assemblie: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that the
petitioner bee forthwith paid the said summe of eightie
pounds, together with the interest, accordinge to the
said acte of assemblie, any acte of assemblie thereafter
made to the contrarie notwithstandinge.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the said
authoritie, that John Warren, tallow chandler, shalbee Warren.
paid by the theasurer of this cittie the summe of
thirtie-one pounds and sixe shillings, sterling, due to
him from this cittie for candles by him delivered by Candles.
order unto the courtes of garde in this cittie, as by the Courts of
certificatt of the auditors of this cittie, beareinge date guard.
the fifteenth day of July, 1662, appeareth, and that
Mr. Maiors warrant bee a sufficient dischargde to the
thesaurer aforesaid in that behalfe.

[4.] That Luke Tompson shall have the place of one Tompson.
of the macebearers of this cittie of Dublin which
Anthony Dobbs, macebearer, late deceased, enjoyed, and Macebearer.
that the said Luke Tompson doe continue in the same
dureinge the pleasure of this cittie, and that hee doe
enjoy the profitts and perquisittes of the same.¹

m. 21.

1662. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: John Cranwell, esquire; Sheriffs: Christopher Mayor.
Bennet and Elias Best. Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. Ridgely
Hatfield, alderman, is chosen thesaurer of the cittie of Treasurer.
Dublin for the next ensueinge yeare.

¹ The franchises were ridden 2 September, 1662. See vol. i., p. 264.

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Masters
of works.

[2.] Mr. George Hulett and Mr. William Whitshed, Roll xiv.
m. 24. were chosen masters of the cittie workes for the said yeare.

Auditors.

Corpora-
tions.Smiths.
Tailors.
Glovers.

[3.] Mr. Maior, sir Hubart Adryan Verveer, knight, sir George Gilbert, knight, sir Daniel Bellingham, knight, Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniel Huchinson, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse, Mr. Peter Wybrants and the rest of the aldermen, Masters Sheriffes, Mr. Enoch Reader, Mr. John Smith, Mr. John Sergeant, the master of the smithes, the master of the taylors, the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, are chosen auditors for the said cittie for the said yeare, whereof Mr. Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwayes two, to take the thesaurers accompte.

Ogden.

Supporta-
tion.
Mayoraltie.

[4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to Mr. Maior, preferred petition unto the said assemblie, prayinge (for certaine reasons sett forth in the said petition) that such allowance might bee graunted unto his said master towards the supportation of the chardges of his Mayoraltie this yeare, as may aunswere the dignitie of his said place and the creditt of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie of the said assemblie, that the petitioner bee allowed him, for the use of the said Maior for this yeare, the better to supporte the dignitie of his said place of Maioraltie, the summe of three hundred pounds, to be paid by the thesaurer of this cittie for the time beinge quarterlie, by the warrant of the Maior.

Allowance.

Lands.

Tenements.

Conceal-
ments.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assemblie, sheweinge that whereas in the late distracted time severall parcells of wast lands and tenements belonginge to this cittie of Dublin have bene concealed, to the greate lesseninge of the revenues of this cittie, and at present lye ruinous and wast, which in all likelyhoode for the future wilbee divolved into other hands, unlesse there bee some speedie remedie layde downe for the same; and therefore the said commons

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humbly prayed this assemblie to take the premises into 1662.
theire serious considerations, and uppon the reasons
aforsaid to contrive such an acte in the said assemblie as
should bee thought meete for the encouragement of any
who shall hereafter bee instrumentall in the discoverie of ^{Discovery.}
any such concealed lands, which of right doe belonge
unto this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by
the authoritie aforsaid, that any person or persons who
shall first discover any houses, lands, tenements or here-
ditamentes of right belonginge to this cittie, shall have a ^{Rewards.}
lease of such houses, lands, tenementes or hereditamentes ^{Leases.}
soe to bee discovered by him or them at a reasonable
tearme and rent, and, in case such discoverer bee outbid,
that then the discoverer shall have the rent or rentes to
bee reserved on such premises for the first three yeares
thereof.

[6.] Whereas Raph Wallis, gentleman, did, by his ^{Wallis.}
petition preferred to the said assemblie (for certaine
reasons sett forth in his said petition), desire that the
arreares of foure yeares rent, amountinge to the summe of
sixteene pounds, sterling, due unto this cittie (out of a
parcell of wast ground neere adjoyneinge to Barrocks,
alias Bradocks, bridge, leadeinge to Finglas, and demised <sup>Bradocks
Bridge.
Finglas.</sup>
by this cittie unto him), might bee remitted untill Easter
last: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the
authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner doth forthwith
pay the summe of foure pounds, sterling, to the
thesaurer of this cittie, for the use of the said cittie, and
that uppon the payment thereof the said arreares to bee
remitted to him, accordinge to such instrument as Mr.
Recorder shall prepare for that purpose

[7.] It is likewise ordered and agreed, by the authoritie
aforsaid, that Richard Prowdfoote, administrator unto
George Prowdfoote, marchant, deceased, shall have a <sup>Prowd-
foote.
Castle</sup>
lease uppon a parcell of ground scituatt on the north side
of Fyans Castle, alias Prowdfootes Castle, contayneinge ^{Fyan.}
in breadth from the said north side unto the river of

1662.
Liffey.

Liffie fourteene foote, and in length from east to west fortie and sixe foote, for the tearme of soe many yeares as are yett to come and unexpired of a former lease, held from this cittie, of a parcell of ground situatt on the east end of the forsaid castle, now in the holdeinge of the said Richard Prowdfoote, at the yearelie rent of tenn shillings, sterling, with such other clauses and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to bee inserted in the said lease; and the said yearelie rent to bee freed from all manner of chardges whatsoever. Provided alwayes that the said Richard Prowdfoote doe produce the said former lease before mentioned of the forsaid parcell of ground on the east end of the said castle, and reserveinge unto the said castle all such advantages as doe belonge to the said castle, and sett by a former graunt by the said cittie. Roll xiv.
m. 24.

Stuart.
Sergeant at
mace.

[8.] That James Stuart, one of the sergeants at mace of the said cittie, shall have a lease for the tearme of fortie and one yeares, commenceinge from the five and twentieth day of March, 1660, uppon a parcell of grownd neere Saint Kevens porte, at the yearelie rent of foure pounds, sterling, to bee paied to the treasurer of this cittie at his dwellinge house, without demaund; and a couple of capons to bee paied unto the Maior of this cittie for the time beinge at Christmas yearelie, or five shillings, sterling, in lieue thereof, at the election of the said Maior for the time beinge, with a nomine pene of twentie shillings, sterling, for non payment at the dayes and times of payment, over and above all contributions and other publique chardges; saveinge the rights of all other persons to the premises. m. 24 b.

St. Keven's
porte.

Franchise.

Admissions to franchise.

m. 23.

1662, December 30.

m. 24 b.

Applica-
tion.
Exemption.

Law, order and constitution:—Whereas certaine the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that application being made for exemption of this citty out of the

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m. 24 b.

generall acte¹ of incorporateinge forreiners and strangers into the severall corporacions of this kingdome, there is very greate expectation of the carrying on thereof if this citty bee nott deficient in supplying with money the endeavours of those who labour the good of the said citty therein; and therefore the said commons humbly prayed this assembly to lay downe a course therein whereby the labourers in this present affayre may bee supplied with money for effecting thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority of this said assembly, that the summe of one hundred and fifty pounds, sterling, bee raised on the severall corporacions of this citty by an equall applotment as formerly in the case of the agent monney, which said summe is to bee levied within twenty dayes next after the date hereof, and being soe levied the same to bee deposited into the hands of one of the Sheriffes, to bee disposed of as the Mayor and recorder shall thinke fitt for the uses in the said petition mentioned; the said one hundred and fifty pounds to bee repayed to the said severall corporations out of the freemens fines that shall bee imposed on such as shall come in free on graces espetiall after the passing of an act to restore the priviledges desired.

1662.
Foreigners,
Strangers.

Supply of
money.

Corpora-
tions.
Applot-
ment.

Freemen.
Fines.

m. 26.

1662-3. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1662.

1662-3.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that the rent roll of this citty is very imperfect for want of purging the same, parte of the former committee being dead who were appointed to that purpose; and to the end the same may bee made perfect, the said commons therefore humbly prayed this assembly that there may bee an addition made of some other able persons to the said committee as should bee thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority of the

City rent
roll.

Committee.

¹ Enacted by the parliament at Dublin in 1662—"for encouraging Protestant

strangers and others to inhabit and plant in the kingdom of Ireland."

1662-3. said assembly, that the Maior and aldermen and twelve of the commons (such as the commons shall thinke fitt to name), or any seaven of them, the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to bee alwaies two, are hereby appointed a committee to purge and settle the rent roil of this citty; and any of the said committee that shall fayle to attend, having notice given them by one of the officers upon what day Mr. Maior shall appointe them to meete, are to forfeite five shillings, to bee levyed upon their goods and chattles, upon Mr. Maiors warrant, to bee disposed of to the poore as Mr. Maior shall thinke fitt. The names of the commons nominated by the commons to the purpose aforesaid are these ensueing, videlicet: Mr. Lewys Desminiers, Mr. John Tottie, Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes, Mr. John Sergeant, Mr. William Hill, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. John Mills, Mr. Richard Lord, Mr. Anthony Derry, Mr. Robert Westberry and Mr. George Surdevele.

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m. 26.

Attend-
ance.

Fines.

Richard
Lord.
Agent for
city.

Account.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assembly, desiring, for certaine motives and reasons sett forth in the said petition, that Richard Lord, goldsmith, might bee appointed stuard or agent for the citty under the treasurer of the said citty, for collecting and getting in the revenues of this citty in such manner and att such allowance as by an act¹ of Michaelmas assembly, 1650, was formerly graunted to John Kelly, gentleman, hee, the said Richard Lord, entering into bond with good security to the treasurer of this citty for the tyme being to render a just accompt and pay such summe or summes of money as shall bee in his hands, from tyme to tyme, when hee shall bee lawfully thereunto required. And for the better mannageinge the affayres of this citty, the said commons likewise praied that hee, the said Richard Lord, might have the authority of this citty, under the seale thereof, for

¹ See vol. iii., p. 507.

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distraining for arrears of rent due to the citty, and for acting and doing all other things requisitt in that behalfe for the avayle of this citty according to equity and right: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority aforesaid, that the said Richard Lord bee appointed under treasurer to the present treasurer, and that hee have equall power with the said treasurer, and to doe and performe all such acts and things as the said treasurer might himselfe performe, and that this present graunt bee drawn up by the recorder, and that the same bee passed under the seale of this citty according to the desires of the petitioners, and that such allowance bee given unto the said Richard Lord as shall bee agreed upon by the said treasurer and the said Richard Lord, and that the said Richard Lord doe enter into bonds according to the desire of the petitioners, givinge alsoe the said Richard Lord power to distraine in manner as is mentioned in the said petition.

[3.] Whereas Elizabeth Bollardt, widdow, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweinge that by an act of assembly held the seaventh day of August, 1662, it was ordered that shee should bee paied the summe of eighty pounds, sterling, togeather with interest after tenn in the hundred (any act of assembly thereafter made to the contrary notwithstanding), and forasmuch as it was then likewise ordered that the treasurer of this citty should pay the said money unto the petitioner, yet the said treasurer, on pretence of an act of assembly, whereby Alderman Daniel Wybrants is to receave such summes of money as are payed to the citty for leases in revercion towards the redemption of the lands of Baldoyle, unto the said Wybrants, the said treasurer doth deny to pay the said money unto her; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assembly to order the said treasurer to pay the said money without any further delay unto the petitioner: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authority, that the fynes of Alderman

1662-3.
Arrears.
Rents.

Appoint-
ment.
Under
treasurer.

Allowance

Distraint.

Interest.

Daniel
Wybrants.

Baldoyle.

Fines.

1662-3. Daniell Wybrants, Liuetenant Whitefeild, the lord cheife Roll xiv. m. 26. barron¹ and Mr. Patrick Tallant, bee all receaved by the treasurer of this citty, for the use of this citty, and payed unto the petitioner in parte of satisfaction of what the citty oweth her, any act of assembly formerly to the contrary.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaide, that Arthur, earle of Anglesey, shall have a lease, for the terme of ninety and nine yeares, upon a parcell of the Strand, being att the east end of Mr. Tates garden to the Longe Stone over against the Colledge, contayninge from the south to the north, from the said Mr. Tates garden to the low watermarke, twenty and one pearches, being sevenscore yards; from east to west forty-two pearches, being two hundred and eighty yards; att the east end, leading to the Long Stone, twenty and one pearches; att the yearely rent of tenn, pounds, sterling; with such other conditions and clauses as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert therein, alwayes savinge all former rights of all former graunts thereof made by this citty: provided alwaies that the said Arthur, earle of Anglesey, doe leave a highway there to the Liffey river noe lesse than six and twenty foote broad for all manner of passengers to passe with what carriages whatsoever.

Arthur, earle of Anglesey.
Strand.
Tate.
Water-mark.
Long Stone.
Highway.
Liffey.
Passengers, Carriages.

[5.] That Thomas Harman, esquire, for and in consideration of the summe of twenty pounds, sterling, fyne, by him to bee payed to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of this citty, shall have a lease, for the tearme of sixty and one yeares, upon all that parcell of ground or garden in Saint Stephen streete, formerly demised by this citty unto John Quine, late of this citty of Dublin, taylor, deceased, contayning in length fiftie eight yardes and a halfe, and in breadth twenty nine yardes, att the yearely rent of foure pounds, sterling,

Thomas Harman.
St. Stephen's street.
Quine.

¹ John Bysse, *see* p. 232.

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and a couple of fatt capons at Christmas yearely, unto ^{1662-3.} the Maior of this citty for the tyme being, for the use of the said Maior; with such other clauses and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert therein; hee surrendring the old lease of the premises now in being, and to bee bound to bestowe foure hundred pounds, sterling, in improveing and building on the premises within seaven yeares next ensueing the date hereof.

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[6.] That Thomas Clarkson, clerk, for and in con- ^{Thomas Clarkson.} sideration of the summe of twenty pounds, sterling, by him to bee paied to the threasurer, for the use of the said citty, shall have a lease for the tearme of sixty and one yeares, to begin at Easter next, upon the rectory of Rathmacknee, in the county of Wexford, formerly de- ^{Rathmacknee, Wexford. Watson.} mised by this citty unto Alderman James Watson, att the yearely rent of tenn pounds, sterling, per annum; with such other clauses, covenants and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert therein, hee surrendring the old lease now in being of the premises.

[7.] That George Surdevele, taylor, shall have a lease ^{Surdevele.} for the terme of fifty and four yeares, to commence at Easter next, upon the one moiety, with the improvements thereupon, of one piece of ground, commonly called the old ditch, betweene Saint Frances Gate and the middle ^{Old ditch. St. Francis' Gate. Combe.} gate of the Combe, conteyning in length sevenscore and tenn yards or thereabouts, and in breadth from the gripe of the ditch eightene foote or thereabouts, all which being heretofore demised by this citty unto Christopher Forster, of the same, merchant, which moiety of the said peice of ground hereby demised, conteyning in length threescore and fifteene yards or thereabouts, and in breadth eightene foote or thereabouts, which is now in the said George Surdeveles possession, att the yearely rent of thirty shillings, sterling, with such other clauses, covenants and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt to insert therein. ^{Christopher Forster.}

1662-3.
Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham.

[8.] That sir Daniel Bellingham, knight, for, and in consideration of the summe of foure hundred and tenn pounds, sterling, fyne, by him to bee payed to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of the said citty, shall have a fee farme for ever upon a parcell of ground on Oxmontowne Greene, commonly called by the name of Loughboy, conteyning, from the church stile to the next end of Mr. Francis Southernes howse in the south parte of the said ground, twenty six foote, from east to west eleaven pearches, from south to north thirty one pearches and a halfe, from west to east on the north parte thereof eightene pearches, and from the end of Youngs castle to the church style, being north and south, thirty eight pearches, att the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to bee paid to the treasurer of this citty for the tyme being, for the use of the said citty; and that such other clauses bee inserted in the said deede of graunt of the premises as the recorder of this citty shall judge fitting.

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Oxmon-
towne
Greene.
Loughboy.
Southerne.

Youngs
castle.

Mynard
Christian.

Lazy Hill.

River side.

Williams.

Hicks.

Long Stone.

[9.] That Mynard Christian, merchant, shall have a lease, for the terme of sixty and one yeares, upon a peice of wast ground at Lazy Hill, scituate from Mr. Hicks ground to the Longe Stone, all alonge the river side, oppositt to Lewys Williams ground, contayning, from east to west, from the house or lande of Henry Hicks unto the Long Stone, two hundred foote in the front to the south, and from the wall back to the river, att the yearely rent of thirteene pounds, sterling, and a couple of fatt capons yearely to the Mayor of the said citty for the tyme being; with such other clauses, covenants and conditions as Mr. Recorder shall insert therein.

Stuart.
Sergeant at
mace.

[10.] That James Stuart, one of the sergeants at mace of the said citty, shall have a lease for the tearme of forty and one yeares, commencing from the five and twentieth day of March, 1660, upon a parcell of ground neere Saint Kevens porte, att the yearely rent of foure pounds, sterling, to bee payed to the treasurer of this

St. Keven's
porte.

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couple of capons to bee paid unto the Maior of this citty
for the tyme being att Christomas yearely, or five shil-
lings, sterling, in liewe thereof, att the election of the said
Maior for the tyme being, with a nomine pene of twenty
shillings, sterling, for non payment att the dayes and
tymes of payment, over and above all contributions and
other publike charges, savinge the rights of all other
persons to the premises.

[11.] That Thomas Garland is admitted a free broker Garland.
Free
broker.
of the said citty of Dublin, and to have and receave all
such fees and perquisittes as are usually paid, or ought
to bee paid, unto free brokers of the said citty.

[12.] That John Earle, merchant, is admitted a free Earle.
Free
broker.
broker of the said citty of Dublin, and to have and
receave all such fees and perquisittes as are usually paid,
or ought to bee paid, unto free brokers of the said citty.

[13.] Mr. Lewis Desmineers is chosen alderman in the Desmi-
neers,
place and steede of Mr. Charles Forster, alderman, late
deceased.

[14.] Mr. Enoch Ryder is chosen alderman in the place Ryder.
and steed of Mr. Samuell Weston, alderman, late deceased.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

1663, May 13.

1663.

m. 28. Act and order:—Whereas certaine the commons
petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweing that the
horse guards of this cittie are destitute of stabling, fireing Horse
guards.
Neglect.
and candlelight, which is observed a great neglect in this
cittie, and whereas the right honnorable the lord viscount Viscount
Dungannon.
Dongannon¹ and the lord Coloony² have, since the seaven Lord
Coloony.
and twentieth of October last, contracted with Henry
Barbor and Mary Gray for stabling, fireing and candle-
light for the said horse guards att three poundes per
weeke, for which there is noe way prescribed for the Stabling.
Fire.
Candle-
light.

¹ Marcus Trevor, created viscount
Dungannon, in 1662,

² Richard Coote, created baron of
Coloony, co. Sligo, in 1660.

1663.	satisfaction thereof, being a matter of high concernment	Roll xiv. in 23.
	to his majestie and the safe guard of this cittie, upon consideration had and a true accompt made of the chardge of stabling, fire and candlelight and other additional contingents to the said courte of guards for the necessary use of the horse and guards imployed for his majesties service in this cittie, it appeares that two hundred and seaventy poundes is necessary to be raised by way of cess on the inhabitants of this cittie, and the out liberties are	
Proportions of charge.	to beare an eighth part of the said chardge as in former tymes hath beene usuall: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said assembly, that seaven eighth parts of the said summe of two hundred and seaventie poundes	
Applotment.	bee forthwith applotted by the Maior and Sheriffes of this cittie with the advise and assistance of such persons	
Parishes.	in every parish as the Maior and Sheriffes shall thinke fitting, and that the same be levied by Mr. Maiors warrant, as in other cesses hath beene used, and the moneys receaved to be payed over unto Alderman Ryder, whoe is to pay it out by Mr. Maiors order to the use aforesaid, and that the said Alderman Ryder is to accompt	
Auditors.	to the cittie auditors as oft as he shall be thereunto required.	

1663.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

m. 29.

Rebellion. Troubles.	Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweing that they are very sensible how that by reason of the late rebellion and longe continued troubles of this kingdome the threasury of this cittie is cleerly exhausted
Revenue of city.	and the yearely revenue thereof is reduced to little or nothing, soe that in all likelyhood they will not be able
Public charge.	to defray the publique chardge which must of necessitie fall on them, if not tymely prevented by the said assembly; therefore the said commons prayed the said

¹ 15 Charles I.

² Easter-day, 19 April, 1663.

Roll xiv. assembly to lay downe a course whereby the revenue of 1663.
 in. 29. the said cittie may be increased, and that the said
 assembly would be pleased that some or all of these
 followeing propositions may be made use of towards the ^{Proposi-}
 effecting of soe good a worke: first, that the out skerts ^{tions,}
 of Saint Stephens Greene and other wast lands about ^{St.}
 this cittie, that now addeth nothing att all to pleasure or ^{Stephen's}
 profitt, may be sett for ninetie nine yeares, or to fee ^{Green.}
 farme, and a considerable rent reserved; secondly, that ^{Waste}
 there may be a course layd downe that the ineroachments ^{lands.}
 in and about this cittie may be removed, other then such ^{Eneroach-}
 as will yeild to pay a rent to the citty; thirdly, that a ^{ments.}
 course may be layd downe how that the water may yeild ^{Water.}
 a constant revenue to this citty; and for the better ^{Revenue.}
 carrying on of the same, or any other wayes that may be
 thought fitt, the said commons prayed the said assembly
 that there may be a committee appoynted, consisting of
 six aldermen and twelve of the commons, whoe being
 impowred to consider of the proposalls and to make
 reporte unto the next assembly what they think fitt to ^{Report.}
 be don therein, and to offer such other thinges tending to
 the good of this cittie as they shall thinke fitt: it is
 therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authoritie, that
 the Maior and the Sheriffes, the thresurer, Alderman ^{Aldermen.}
 Smith, Alderman Ryder, Alderman Tighe, Alderman Deey,
 Alderman Quine, and soe many of the commons as is
 desired; the names of the commons nominated by the ^{Commons.}
 commons to the purpose aforesaid are those ensuing,
 videlicet: Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. John Tottie, Mr. George
 Surdevile, Mr. Robert Meade, Mr. John Mills, Mr. James
 Browne, Mr. John Sisson, Mr. Owen Jones, Mr. Luke
 Lowther, Mr. John Everton, Mr. John Dutton and Mr.
 Lawrence Cosgrove, or any nine of them, whereof the
 Maior and one of the Sheriffes to be alwaies two, be
 appoynted a committee to consider of the premisses in ^{Committee.}
 the petition mentioned, and to make reporte as is desired

1663. by the petitioners, and to certifie the same to the next Roll xiv.
m. 29. assembly.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweing that by act of assembly in Michaelmas assembly, 1657, it was enacted¹ (amongst other things) in the said assembly, that onely six atturneys should be admitted to practice in the Tholsell courte of this cittie; and forasmuch as certaine aldermen well experieened in the practiee of the said courte petitioned this assembly to bee admitted to practiee in the said courte, which cannott be granted without first repealing the foresaid act: on consideration thereof, it is thought fitt and ordered that the said act of Michaelmas assembly, 1657, alloweing of six atturneys to attend the eittie courte, and noe more, be repealed, and that there shall be eight atturneys, and noe more, attending the said courte, and that Ralph Allen, Franeis Harris, George Lambert, Henry Marten, Edward Penteny, Abraham Decy, Patriek Lambert and Christopher Horncastle be appoynted the present atturneys in the said courte, and that all others bee prohibited to practiee there as atturneys durning the said atturneys attendanee in the said courte.

[3.] Whereas Joan Springham, widow, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that shee and her husband were ancient inhabitants in this eittie, and now the petitioner is reduced to a very low condition, ready to perish; and whereas Margarett Churehman, widow, one of the six poore widowes of this eittie, is dead, she therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to grant her to be one of the said six poore widowes of the said eittie, in the place and stead of the said Margarett Churehman: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authouritie, that the said Joan Springham be one of the six poore widowes of the said eittie, in the place and stead of the said Margarett Churehman, towards her livelyhood.

¹ See page 154.

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[4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to Mr. Maior, did ^{1663.} petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that ^{Ogden.} your suppliants former masters, the Maiors of this cittie, ^{Mayors.} did yearely receave fiftie barrells of malt from the citty ^{Malt.} scavenger for and out of the toll corne by him taken, for ^{Scavenger.} which your petitioners now master hath as yet noe order to receave, in regard the takeing of the toll hath ^{Toll.} beene longe obstructed by the parliament; and forasmuch ^{Parliament.} as there is a small toll now againe allowed and taken upp, and forasmuch alsoe as your suppliants said master hath beene att great and extraordinary chardges by reason of the great confluence of gentry of the country ^{Confluence of gentry.} unto this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authouritie, that the Maior and Sheriffes of the cittie take the accompt of the collector of the toll of the cittie, ^{Account.} for the toll of the said cittie, and that the petitioner may receave for the use of his said master the number of fiftie barrells of beare malt, or the value thereof, and that there be added to the said committee Alderman Smith, ^{Committee.} Alderman Tighe, Alderman Deey and the threasurer for the tyme being; and that the remainder of the toll be delivered unto the hands of the threasurer of the said cittie, for the use of the said cittie, and that the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to be alwaies two, and that there bee allowed to the Maior, over and above his former allowance already granted, the summe of one hundred ^{Allowance.} poundes, sterling, to be paied to the petitioner, by the thresurer, by the Maiors warrant, to the use of the petitioners master.

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[5.] Whereas Robert Deey, alderman, did petition ^{Robert Deey.} likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that by an act of Michaellmas assembly, 1659, there was graunted unto ^{Grant.} him the summe of two hundred poundes, towards the better supportation of his office of Maioraltie for that ^{Supportation. Mayoralty.} yeare, and in midsomer assembly then next followeing there was alsoe granted, for the petitioners use, the summe of fiftie two poundes, upon the proclamation of ^{Proclamation.}

1663.
Charles II.
Wine.

his sacred majestie, videlicet, thirty six poundes for six <sup>Roll xiv.
m. 29 b.</sup> hoghsheads of French wyne, and sixteene poundes more for chardges which he expended att the said tyme for the honnor of this cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authouritie, that the same be referred to Alderman William Smith and the thresurer of the citty for the tyme being, to state the above accompt, and to certifie Mr. Maior what remaines due on the foote of the accompte to the petitioner, and that Mr. Maior give his warrant to the thresurer for the paiement of soe much as by the said certificat shall appeare to be due unto this petitioner; and that the said warrant of Mr. Maiors shall be a sufficient warrant to the thresurer for the paiement of the same, whoe is required to pay the same accordingly.

Sanderton,
plumber.

[6.] Whereas John Sanderton, plumber, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that he for these five yeares past, hath carefully attended the water pipes of this cittie, and for that tyme hath not receaved any sallary, nor to the value of twelve pence rent for any branch; and forasmuch as he hath desired if it may stand with the pleasure of the cittie to be att certaintie for carryeing on of the said work: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authouritie, that the same be referred to the committee appoynted to consider of severall proposalls for the advance of the cittie revenue, and to reporte what they think fitt to be don therein att the next assembly.

Water
pipes.

City
revenue.

William
Harvey.

[7.] Whereas William Harvey did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that he hath paied and disbursed out of his purse, and for work by him don for the use and uppon the accompt of this cittie, the summe of fortie one poundes, fower shillinges and eight pence, as appeares by the severall accompts and warrants, as by relation to them had may appeare; that he formerly petitioned the said assembly for satisfaction of the said disbursements, which was ordered by the Maior and

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aldermen, but the said order not being sent upp unto the 1663.
common councill, his said order was not perfected, soe
that the same still rests due unto him; he further
sheweth that by Mr. Maiors order he hath since paid and
disbursed, for paveing in Saint Thomas street and glase-
ing the windowes att New hall, the summe of nine <sup>St. Thomas' street.
New hall.</sup>
poundes, three shillings, as appeares alsoe by an accompt
under the hand of the master of the cittie works; soe
that in the whole there rests due unto him the summe of
fiftie poundes, seaven shillings and eight pence: it is
therefore ordered and agreed, by the said authouritie, that
the same be referred to the committee for the advance of
the revenue of the cittie, and whatsoever they fynd due
and paieable by the cittie, that the same be paid by the
thresurer on Mr. Maiors warrant to the said Harvy or
his assignes.

[8.] Mr. Richard Cooke, alderman, is elected Maior of Mayor.
this cittie of Dublin for next ensueing yeare.

[9.] Mr. William Brookes [and] Mr. Warner Westenra Sheriffs.
are elected Sheriffes for the said yeare.

m. 27.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

m. 31.

1663. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly,
sheweing that they being sensible of the very great con-
fusions under which this cittie (and indeed the whole ^{Confusions.}
kingdome) have laboured these severall yeares last past,
and finding it necessary that some able, loyall and well
experienced person should be chosen for the government
of this cittie for the ensueing yeare, and whome the <sup>Govern-
ment of
city.</sup>
petitioners doe conceive ought to be well known to the
present governour of this kingdome, and finding likewise
that his grace the duke of Ormonde, now lord lieftennant, <sup>Duke of
Ormonde.</sup>
and the councill of this kingdome have a desire that
Alderman William Smith should undertake the office of <sup>William
Smith.</sup>
Maioraltie of this cittie for the next ensueing yeare;

1663.
Richard
Cooke.

Exoner-
ation.

Election
of Mayor.

Conduit.
St.
Michael's
church.

Water.

Fire.

Masters
of works.

Estimate.

Whitshed.

and further observing that the person att present elected for the ensuing yeare (being Alderman Richard Cooke) hath preferred his petition to this assembly to be freed from serveing in the said office of Maioraltie for the said next ensuing yeare, which petition is both granted and allowed; the said commons therefore humbly pray that the said Alderman William Smith be by this present assembly elected Maior of this cittie for the ensuing yeare, beginning att Michaellmas next, any law, act or custome to the contrary notwithstanding: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of this present assembly, that the said Alderman William Smith be elected Maior of this cittie for the next ensuing yeare beginning att Michaellmas next, any law, act or custome to the contrary notwithstanding.

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[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, sheweing that the ancient water conduit at Saint Michael's church is for this yeare past made useless by meanes of the decay of the lead thereof, whereby the inhabitants of this cittie resideing neere to the same are bereaft of the benefitt of the water, and on occasion of any howse takeing fire thereabouts much prejudice is threatened to that part, if not the whole cittie; the said commons therefore prayed the said assembly forthwith to command the masters of the cittie works to take care that the said conduit be repaired substantially att the chardge of the cittie: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that Alderman Richard Cooke, Alderman Marke Quine, Mr. John Tottie, and Mr. George Surdevile, or any two of them, whereof the said Alderman Cooke or the said Alderman Quine to be alwaies one, doe cause a just estimate to be made of what money shall be requisitt for the repaireing and new building of the said conduit, and what some of money shall be certified by the said persons as aforesaid shall be forthwith paid to Mr. William Whitshed, one of the masters of the cittie works, by the

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thresurer or subthresurer of the cittie, without delay, 1663.
upon Mr. Maiors warrant for the use aforesaid.

[3.] Whereas Richard Cooke, alderman, did petition Richard Cooke.
likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that in Easter
assembly last past the petitioner was elected and made
choise of to serve as Maior and chief magistrate of this
honnorable cittie and in order thereunto hath allready
been att one hundred and fortie poundes chardge and
upwards in building and other expences for his necessary
preparation for serveing in the said capacitie ; but foras-
much as it is the pleasure of his grace the duke of Duke of Ormonde.
Ormonde, lord lieftennant of this kingdome, that
Alderman William Smith shall serve in the said place
and office of Maioraltie the next succeeding yeare, the
petitioner humbly prayed the said assembly that for the
reasons aforesaid he may heereafter be freed from serveing
in the said office, and that notwithstanding he may take
his place in station as if he had served in the said office :
it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that the petitioner be from henceforth freed Exoner-
tion.
from serveing in the said office of Maioraltie, and that
notwithstanding the petitioner may take his place in
station as if he had served in the said office of Mayoraltie,
any act or custome to the contrary notwithstanding

[4.] Whereas alsoe sir Robert Newcomen, barronett, Sir Robert Newcomen.
and dame Katherin, his wife, executrix of the last will
and testament of major Thomas Bromly, deceased, Bromly.
petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing
that there was due unto the said Thomas Bromly, for
being major to the cittie regiment, the summe of twentie
poundes, sterling, as by a warrant from Alderman John City
regiment.
John Pue.
Pue, then Maior of the said cittie, might appeare, which
said sume hath not bene paied unto the said Thomas
Bromly in his life tyme, nor unto the petitioners nor any
of them sithence his death ; the petitioners therefore
humbly prayed the said assembly to order the satisfaction
of the said sume of twentie poundes, sterling, unto them

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1663.
Crokers
lane. or to allowe the sune out of such rent as the petitioners doe owe unto the cittie for their holdings att Crokers lane: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the same be referred to the auditors of the cittie, whoe are to consider of the within petition and to reporte what they find to the next assembly concerneing the premisses, and in the meane tyme that the thresurer be desired not to call for the moneys due by the said petitioners to the cittie. Roll. xiv.
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Edward
Twelves. [5.] Whereas Edward Twelves, taylor, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that in mid-somer assembly, 1660, the petitioner tooke a lease from

Mayne and
Dale.
Louth. this citty of the towne and landes of Mayne and Dale, in the county of Louth, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to commence from Michaellmas the next followeing, att the ycarely rent of thirtie three pounds, sterling, and that the petitioner hath beene att the

Survey. chardges of six poundes, sterling, upon the survey of the said landes; that hitherto he hath not had the possession thereof nor any advantage thereby, nor can expect to have for the future, for that it is in the possession of the right reverend father in God, John, lord archbushop of

Archbishop
of Armagh,
Church. Ardmagh¹ and primatt of all Ireland, as the petitioner is credibly informed, the said landes belongs unto the church; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said assembly

Arrears. to remitt all the arreares of rent that may be due therout by vertue of the said lease, and to accept of a surrender thereof, and to order the petitioner may be reimbursed by the thresurer of this cittie the six poundes chardges which he hath beene att upon the survey thereof, and likewise that he may be put out of chardge for the future:

Discharge. it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie aforsaid, that the petitioner be dischardged of the arreares in the petition mentioned, and that a surrender of his lease be accepted from him by the citty, and that the thresurer

¹ John Bramhall, Protestant archbishop of Armagh, 1660-1663.

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of the cittie be required to take some speedy course for 1663.
the recovery of the premisses to the use of this cittie.

[6.] Whereas alsoe William Harvy, scavinger, did <sup>Harvy,
scavenger.</sup>
petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that
there was really and justly due unto him from this cittie
the sume of fiftie poundes, six shillinges and two pence,
sterling, for work by him don and caused to be don by
the magistrates and masters of the workes of the said <sup>Masters
of workes.</sup>
cittie, and other chardges for the citties use, as by the
accounts and warrants more plainly appeareth; and the
petitioner further sheweth that the said moneys had
beene longe due and oweing unto the petitioner, and that
the petitioner stands in great necessitie thereof; and
although the petitioner could never obtaine the favour to
convene the committee together which were appointed ^{Committee.}
to view and state his accompts, soe that he still continues
unsatisfied the foresaid sume, to his very great damage
and prejudice; he therefore humbly prayed the said
assembly to lay downe a course in this present assembly
for his present and speedy satisfaction thereof: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that Mr. Maior doe desire the committee to
meet and view the accompts, and that Mr. Maior be ^{Accounts.}
ordered to grant his warrant to the thresurer of the
cittie for the payment of soe much money to the petitioner
as the said committee shall thinke fitt.

[7.] Whereas Thomas Ash, trumpeter, did petition <sup>Thomas
Ash.</sup>
likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that there is a
vacancy of a trumpeters place in this cittie, and being at <sup>City
trumpeter.</sup>
present destitute of all imployment, and haveing for these
nine yeares past once a yeare served the cittie, he there-
fore humbly prayed the said assembly that the said place
of trumpett, being now vacant as aforesaid, might be
conferred on him, and the rather for that he hath for
many yeares lived in this cittie, and hath borne and
dischardged all taxes and impositions layd upon him: it
is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie

1663.
Appoint-
ment.

aforesaid, that the petitioner be trumpettor to the cittie dureing the pleasure of the cittie, and that he be allowed the yearely wages formerly allowed to the trumpett of this cittie. Roll xiv.
m. 31 b.

Sir George
Gilbert.

[8.] Whereas sir George Gilbert, knight, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that att the tyme of the reception of his grace, the lord duke of Ormonde, unto this cittie, he expended six hoggsheads of wyne, by the appoyntment of the counsell of this cittie and for the creditt thereof. He further sheweth that [of]

Duke of
Ormonde.

Wine.

the said six hoggsheads of wyne five of them only were satisfied, and one of them through mistake still remaines unsatisfied and unpaid, to the value of six poundes, sterling; and therefore he humbly prayed the said m. 32.

Payment.

assembly to lay downe a course for the payment of the said sune unto him or his order for the said hoggshead of wyne: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the thresurer of the cittie doe satisfie the petitioner his just demaundes in the petition mentioned. Provided the petitioner make the allegations in the petition expressed to appeare to be true before the thresurer.

John
Betson.

[9.] Whereas alsoe John Betson, merchant, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that about seaven yeares sithence he tooke a wast plott of grownd from this cittie, lyeing in Saint Nicholas streete, and hath paied the rent thereof due ever sithence into the handes of the thresurer or generall receaver of this cittie, for the use of the said citty, untill Easter last, as by the acquittances under the said thresurers hand ready to be produced might appeare; and forasmuch as the petitioner had not hitherto made any use or advantage thereof, because hindred to improve the same by some pretending a former interest of the premisses, to the petitioners great damage; he therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to grant him such an abatement of rent, and for soe many yeares from hence to come, as to

St.
Nicholas'
street.

Abate
ment.

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m. 32.

the said assembly should seeme meet: it is therefore 1663.
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the
petitioner have an abatement of a yeare and a halfes
rent to begin from the tyme of the next payment.

[10.] Whereas Nathaniell Fowkes, taylor, did petition ^{Nathaniel Fowkes.}
likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that in the
yeare of our Lord God, 1656, he was authorised¹ and
impowred, under the cittie seale, to sue for and recover
the rectory of Rathmacknee, in the county of Wexford, <sup>Rathmack-
nee,
Wexford.</sup>
out of the handes of the usurped powers, as alsoe to sett
and lett the same, for the use of the said cittie, which he
accordingly did; and for that by vertue of the said
authoritie there is come into the hands of Mr. Ralph <sup>Ralph
Allen.</sup>
Allen and the petitioners the sume of fiftie three poundes
and foure shillings, whereof in Mr. Allens handes
twentie two poundes sixteene shillings, as he was then
agent for the cittie, and the remainder in the handes of <sup>Agent for
city.</sup>
the petitioner, for which he is ready to yeild an accompt;
he therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to order
how the said moneys remaineing in his handes should
be disposed of, and the petitioner thereof dischargdged,
alloweing him such satisfaction for his journey to the ^{Journey.}
said rectory of Rathmacknee and other great chardges
and troubles in recovering the same, as to the said
assembly should seem meet: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the premisses
be forthwith audited by the auditors of the cittie, who ^{Audit.}
are desired to reporte the same to the next assembly,
and that the petitioner be required to pay what moneys
he hath in his handes to the thresurer of the cittie, for
the citties use, the petitioner being allowed the sume of ^{Allowance.}
five poundes for his labour and paines in the premisses.

[11.] It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie
aforesaid, that George Surdevile, taylor, shall have a lease <sup>George
Surdevile.</sup>
for the tearme of ninetie nine yeares upon, a small plott

¹ See page 96.

1663. of wast grownd, being parell of the land of the late dissolved monastery of Allhollowes, meareinge and bounding to the west, north and east parte to the land of Christchurch, Dublin, and in the south to the kings pavement, seituat without White Friars gate, in the suburbs of the cittie of Dublin, conteineing from the kings pavement in Saint Stephen streete, without White Fryers gate, from south to north att the east end, twentie three yards ; from east to west, att the north end, twentie one yards and one foote, and alsoe, att the west end, twentie one yards and one foote, and the south parte thereof, from east to west, twenty one yardes and one foote, att the yearely rent of one pounce, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the said cittie for the tyme being, for the use of the said cittie, and that the cittie be not bound to save the petitioner harmless in his enjoyment of the premisses ; and that such other elauses and covenants be ineerted in his lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. Roll xiv.
m. 32.
- Peter Wybrants. [12.] Whereas also Peter Wybrants, alderman, did petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that in midsommer assembly, 1662, it was ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie thereof, that a lease in reversion should be granted unto the petitioner of a parcell of ground, on the right hand of the highway leading from Saint Francis Gate to the Combe, which belongs to this cittie, for the tearme of sixtie one yeares, to commence att the expiration of a former lease granted of the premisses, uppon payment of a fine, and thirtie shillings yearely rent, as by the said act more plainly appeareth ; and forasmuch as the petitioner hath made further inspeccion and inquiry into the records and rentrolls of this cittie, and finding the rent allready reserved upon the premisses to be three poun des, two shillinges per annum, and haveing a desire rather to upphould then diminish the revenue of the cittie, he therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to order him a confirmation
- White Friars' gate.
- St. Stephen's street.
- St. Francis' Gate, Combe.
- Records of city.

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m. 32.

of the former grant of the premisses, payeing three 1663.
poundes, two shillinges, sterling, yearely, as the same is
now reserved, and to have an abatement of the arreares
to Michaellmas last, in regard of the great improvements
made on the premisses, as alsoe the future improvements
intended to be made : it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner
have a lease in reversion of the premisses for the tearme
of sixtie one yeares, at the yearely rent of three poundes,
two shillinges, payable to the thresurer of this citty for
the use of the said cittie, and that the citty be not bound
to save the petitioner harmeless in the enjoyment of the
possession of the premisses ; and that such further
clauses and covenants be incerted in his lease as Mr.
Recorder shall think fitt ; and that the petitioner be
bound to pay the former arreares.

m. 32 b.

[13.] It is likewise ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that William Vincent, clark, shall
have a lease, for tearme of sixtie one yeares, of a little
peece of wast grownd formerly demised by this cittie
unto John Parsons, on the south side of the lord Dow-
carys land¹ over against Saint Stephens church, con-
teineing att the west end fronting to little Butter lane,
from north to south, thirtie and eight foote, and likewise
att the east, from north to south, thirtie eight foote ; and
in length, from east to west, fiftie and six foote, att the
yearely rent of twenty shillinges, sterling, to be payed
to the thresurer of this cittie, for the use of the said
cittie, and to have such clauses and covenants added in
the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall think fitt ; and the
petitioner is to save this cittie harmeless against all
titles whatsoever, and to surrender the ould lease of the
premisses formerly granted by this cittie unto the said
John Parsons.

William
Vincent.

Parsons.
Dowcra.
St.
Stephen's
church.

[14.] Whereas alsoe Minard Christian, merchant, did

Minard
Christian.

¹ See p. 164.

1663. petition likewise unto the said assembly, sheweing that Roll xiv.
m. 32 b.
in Christomas assembly last he had granted unto him a
Lazie hill. lease of one peece of wast grownd at Lasie hill, seituat
Long Stone. from Mr. Hiekes grownd unto the Longe Stone, all along
Williams. the riverside, oposit to Lewys Williams grownd, con-
teyneing, from east to west, from the petitioners
buildings unto the Long Stone, two hundred foote on
the front to the south, and from thence all back to the
river, for the tearme of sixtie one yeares, att the yearly
rent of thirteene poundes, sterling; and for that the
petitioner is willinge to improve the same for the benefitt
of this cittie; he therefore humbly prayed the sayd
assembly to grant him a lease of the premisses for ninetie
nine yeares, att five poundes, sterling, yearly rent, he
paying twenty poundes fine unto the cittie: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that
the petitioner shall have a lease of the above mentioned
premisses, according to his former grant, only the tyme
to begin att Easter next, the petitioner takeing out his
lease by the next post assembly.

Franchise. Admissions to franchise.

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1663. Third Friday after 29 September.

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Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Mayor: William Smyth, esquire; Sheriffs: Thomas
Kirkham and William Brookes.

Treasurer.

Laws, orders and constitutions :--[1.] Sir George
Gilbert, knight, is chosen thresurer for the citty of
Dublin for the next ensueing yeare.

Masters
of works.

[2.] Christopher Bennett and Elias Best are chosen
masters of the citty workes for the next ensueing
yeare.

Auditors.

[3.] Mr. Maior, sir Hubart Adrian Verveer, knight,
sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, Mr. Ridgley Hatfeild,
Mr. Richard Tighe, Mr. Daniell Huchinson, Mr. Thomas
Hooke, Mr. Thomas Waterhouse and Mr. Peter Wybrants,
and the rest of the aldermen, the Sherriffes, Mr. John
Smith, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. John Totty, the master

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of the smiths, the master of the taylors and the master of the glovers, or any sixe of them, are chosen auditors for the citty of Dublin for this yeare, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to be allwaies two.

1663.
Smiths.
Tailors.
Glovers.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas in midsommer assembly last it pleased the said assembly by an act thereof to elect alderman William Smith to be Maior of the citty of Dublin for the next ensueing yeare; and forasmuch as the said Alderman William Smith is now in the said office, pursuant to the said act, the said commons therefore humbly praied the said assembly, that there might be an act made by this assembly that an allowance might be given unto the said Alderman William Smith for the better support of the dignity of his office of Maioralty for the said yeare, he being thereunto unexpectedly called, and the great charge he is like to be att in the support of the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said Alderman William Smith, for the reasons in the petition mentioned, be allowed the summe of foure hundred pounds, sterling, for his yeare of Maioralty, to be paid quarterly by the thresurer of the said citty on the warrant of the said Mr. Maior.

William
Smith,
Mayor.

Allowance.

Grant.

[5.] Whereas also certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that the committee for advance of the citty revenue, in pursuance of an act of assembly¹ bearing date the first day of May, 1663, have viewed and surveid the out skirts of Saint Stephens Greene, and upon the survey thereof the said committee doe find that seventeene acres of the out skirts of the said Greene, as it is now designed by the said committee, may be sett for a yearely rent for the advance of the citty revenue, without any prejudice to the citty of Dublin; the petitioners therefore humbly

Committee.
Citty
revenue.

St.
Stephen's
Green.

¹ See p. 257.

1663. praied this assembly to give order for reading of petitions, Roll xiv.
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and for setting and letting any parte of the said greene
contained within the said seaventeene acres as it is now
meared and surveyed by captain Robert Newcomen,
any act, law, or custome to the contrary notwithstanding: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority, that petitions be read for setting and letting
any parte of the said Greene contained within the said
seaventeene acres as it is now meared and surveyed by
the said captain Robert Newcomen, any act, law or
custome to the contrary notwithstanding.

[6.] Whereas also certeine of the commons petitioned
likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that there is
a great want of some certeine retireing roomes to be
added to the Thollsell of this citty, for committees and
other persons of the councell of this citty to withdraw
themselves upon references and other matters they have
often occasion for, and that there might be a convenient
place made over the church-yard belonging to Saint
Nicholas church adjoyning to the said Thollsell, which
the petitioners conceived, if application were made to
the churchwardens of Saint Nicholas parish, might be
obtained for a terme of yeares, for the use of the said
citty, to adde to the said Thollsell for the conveniency
aforesaid; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the
said assembly to graunt that there may be a com-
mittee appointed by the said assembly to treat with the
churchwardens of the said parish of Saint Nicholas for
the accommodation of the said citty for the uses afore-
said; it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that the Maior and Sheriffes be
appointed to treat with the said churchwardens con-
cerning the premisses, and the same to report to the
next assembly.

[7.] Whereas also certeine of the commons petitioned
likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that they
being made acquainted that there is an order lately

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come from the right honorable the lord leivtenant of 1663.
Ireland, directed to the Sheriffes of the citty of Dublin, Lord
thereby requireing them forthwith to appoint convenient Lieutenant.
quarters for the officers and soldiers of his grace the Sheriff.
duke of Ormondes horse garde, and good stableing for Horse
their horses in such part of the citty and suburbs as the guard.
said Sheriffes shoulde thinke fitt; and forasmuch as
the petitioners are desirous that all such persons as are
concerned may beare an equall burthen of the charge
which will ensue by reason of the same, and not some to
beare all and others none; the petitioners therefore -
humbly praied the said assembly that there might be a
rule laied downe by this assembly that a taxe might be Tax.
laied on the inhabitants of the citty and suburbs of the
said citty of Dublin for the quartering of the said guard Quartering.
and stableing of their horses, and alsoe for the quarter- Stabling.
ing of the commissioned officers of the kings regiment King's
in this citty and suburbs, in such manner as the said regiment.
assembly should thinke fitt: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the
Sheriffes of the citty of Dublin, calling to their assistance
the aldermen and deputy aldermen of the severall
wardes, doe consider of the premisses, and what is fitt to
to be allowed for the quartering and stableing of the
said horse guard, as alsoe for the quartering of the
commissioned officers of the kings regiment in the citty
and suburbs, as is above desired, and the moneys soe to
be agreed upon to be applotted and levied by the
Sherriffes to the use aforesaid.

m. 33 b.

[8.] Whereas alsoe the master, wardens and bretheren
of the corporation of butchers petitioned likewise unto Butchers.
the said assembly, shewing that the court of guard being Court of
removed from the guard house in High streete to the High
Fleshambles under New hall, and the souldiers haveing street.
broken and brent the said shambles soe that the New
petitioners can make little or noe use thereof untill it hall.
should be repaired, which will cost twenty pounds, Flesh
Repairs.

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sterling, or thereabouts, to putt it in as good repaire Roll xiv.
m. 33 b. as it was before the guard removed thither; and forasmuch as it was taken from the petitioners for the publique use and soe much out of repaire as aforesaid, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to order that the said shambles might be forthwith repaired and made as usefull for them as it was before the guard removed thither, and that it might be done at the citty charge: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the same be referred to the masters of the citty workes, to view what dammages the petitioners have received in the premisses and to report what they find to the next assembly.

Devin.

Newgate.

Fitz-Williams.

Stairs.

[9.] That William Devin, baker, shall have a lease for the terme of sixty one yeares, to commence from Michaelmas last, of a cellar, or peece of ground formerly a cellar, lyeing on the south side within Newgate, neere adjoyninge thereunto, formerly demised by this citty unto Christopher FitzWilliams, of the citty of Dublin, merchant, conteineing at the west end thereof adjoyneing to the citty wall (where there is a small backside) tenne foot in length, from north to south, and sixe foote in bredth, and also a small shedd upon the premisses, containing from the wall of Newgate to southward in bredth tenne foote and nine inches, and in length from east to west thirteene foote, and in the passage or entry leadeing out of the streete from or neere the foote of Newgate staires unto the premisses in length fourteene foote, and the said entry or passage in bredth two foote and a halfe, att the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the said citty of Dublin for the time being, for the use of the said citty, and a couple of fatt capons to the Maior of the citty of Dublin for the time being at Christmas yearely, or five shillings in leiw thereof, att the election or choice of the said Maior; with other clauses and covenants to be

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m. 33 b. added in the said lease, as Mr. Recorder shall thincke 1663.
fitt The said William Devyn satisfyeing all the
arreares due on the premisses untill Michaelmas last,
and to surrender his present interest in the premisses.

m. 33. Admissions to franchise.

1663, November 3.

m. 33 b. Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly,
shewing that there was an act¹ of assembly ordering
that whosoever of the Numbers should be absent three Absence.
assembly daies from the assemblies, havinge lawfull
warning, should bee putt out of the roll and others chosen
in their places; and forasmuch as there have beene
severall of the Numbers who have and doe absent Members
themselves, whereby the businesse of this citty was not of common
done with that freedome and generall consent that council.
ought to be; the said commons therefore humbly praied
the said assembly that the said act might bee putt in
execution, and that such of the Numbers as aforesaid
that had beene absent might bee putt out of the Amotion.
Numbers, and others chosen according to the intent and Election.
meaning of the said act of assembly: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, Order.
that such of the Numbers, being of the common counsell
of this citty, whoe shall hereafter absent themselves
from the common counsell of this citty for three quarter
assemblies together, and the same appeareinge before the
Maior and one of the Sheriffes for the time being, and
foure of the aldermen, that such persons soe absenting
themselves as aforesaid be by the said Maior and one of
the Sheriffes for the time being, and four of the
aldermen, as aforesaid, putt out of the said common
counsell, and that others, being duely sworne according
to the custome of this citty, be elected into the places of

m. 34.

¹ See p. 129.

1663.	those who shalbe soe putt out as aforesaid. And it is likewise further ordered and agreed upon, by the said authority, that such persons as heretofore have absented themselves from the said quarter assemblies for three	Roll xiv. m. 34.
Quarter assemblies.	quarter assemblies together as aforesaid, be in manner and forme as aforesaid putt out of the said assemblies, and others to be duely chosen as aforesaid.	
Craven, gunsmith.	[2.] Whereas also William Craven, gunsmith, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that the petitioner, by the perswasion of sir George	
Gilbert, Hatfeild.	Gilbert, knight, and Alderman Ridgley Hatfeild, had for the space of eighteene months then last past	
City clock.	carefully looked unto and attended the eitty clock, for which the petitioner had received noe manner of satisfaction or allowance, and that the petitioner hath	
Expenditure.	further expended and disbursed, for necessary materials for the said clock, the summe of one pounce, two shillings and sixe pence, sterling, as by a note of the perticulars thereof appeareth, whereupon the said	
Care. Attendance.	petitioner praied the said assembly to lay downe a course for his satisfaction of the said disbursements of one pound, two shillings, sixe pence, and to graunt unto him a reasonable allowanee for his care and attendance about the said clock dureing the time aforesaid, and to conclude with the said petitioner what he should have for attending and lookeing after the same for the future: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the	
Allowance.	authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be paid the summe of five pounds for his paines taken in lookeing to the clock of the said eitty, and that Mr. Maiors order to the treasurer of the citty for the payment of the said five pounds shall be a sufficient warrant to the treasurer for soe dceing; and that the person who shall for the future be employed to keepe the said clock in order bee allowed the summe of sixe pounds yearly, and the same to be paid by the treasurer on the Maior's order from time to time as aforesaid, and that the said	

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money already disbursed by the petitioner be paid by ^{1663.}
the threasurer on Mr. Mayor's warrant.

1663, December 10.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas
certaine of the commons preferred their petition unto
the last assembly, shewing that his grace, the duke of
Ormonde, takeing notice of the want of water for the
supply of his majesties castle of Dublin, had severall
times by his lettres sent unto the citty, that a speedy
course might be taken therein, whereby the water might
be brought to the said castle, as was usuall in former
times; and whereas also a committee was appointed to
consider of the same and to lay downe a course whereby
the said castle might for the time to come be maintained
and supplied with water, whereupon the said committee,
after a long and serious debate of the premisses, prepared
severall proposalls to bee offered to the consideration of
this assembly touching the said watercourse, which are
as followeth, videlicet: First, that stopcocks be forthwith
affixed to all maine branches that goe downe hills,
videlicet: New rowe, Schoolers lane, Saint Michaells
lane, Saint Nicholas streete, Cock hill, Fishamble streete,
Saint Warboroughes streete and Castle streete, by
meanes whereof all small branches may be supplied att
certaine times, if the maine pipes cannot supply them
altogether, and the castle and other branches above hills
may be constantly supplied; secondly, that computations
hath beene made what the branches will produce yearly
at the rates undernamed, which is found to amount to
two hundred, ninety one pounds, tenn shillings, which
will be a sufficient competency to effect the said worke;
thirdly, that for the immediate repaire of the maine
branch, one yeares rent be forthwith raised according to
the undernamed rates for the last yeare, which ended
at Allhallontide last, in consideration of the benefitt
received by the water over and above the money levied

Duke of
Ormonde.
Water.
Dublin
castle.

Com-
mittee.

Supply.

Proposi-
tions.

Water-
course.

Stop cocks.

Main
branches.

Lanes,

Streets.

Pipes.

Castle

Computa-
tions.

Rates.

1663.
Cesse.

and to be levied by the last cesse, and if any person shall refuse to pay the same, his branch to be cutt off and never to be affixed againe without further order and directions of the citty; fourthly, that noe person that hath a branch shall furnish his neighbour with water under the penalty of one shilling for every time so offending, to be paid by him or them that shall lett such persons have water, and if refusall be made of the payment of the penalty to the citty, or whom they shall appointe, then the branch to be cutt off; fifthly, that such persons that have branches and suffer the water to runn to wast, for every time it soe runnes to wast shall pay to the citty, or whome they shall appointe, one shilling, and if they refuse payment the branch to be cutt off; sixthly, that for the time to come noe person shall be permitted to affixe a branch to the maine pipe or to another branch, untill they have made agreement for the same with the citty, or whome they shall authorize; seventhly, that a committee be authorized by assembly to manage this their concernment of the water-course, and one able and fitting person be chosen to oversee the worke, to collect the rents, fines and penalties, to lay out money about the premises, and to reporte to the committee what is fitt to be done from time to time, and he for his paines to have a sallary out of the rents, fines and penalties of the said water.

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Com-
mittee.

Manage-
ment of
water-
course.

Salary.

Rates.

Brewers.

Malsters.

Distillers.

House-
keepers.

Foreigners.

The rates to be [paid] by the freemen of the citty of Dublin, occupiers of the said water, are as followeth, videlicet: a wholesale brewer, if he brewes his beere with the said water, is to pay yearely foure pounds; a brewer of ale or beere to retaile,—one pound, tenne shillings, sterling; a malt man making use of said water, —two pounds tenne shillings, sterling; a distiller,—two pounds, tenne shillings, sterling; every private house-keeper haveing a branch, being a freeman, twenty shillings, sterling; every forreiner, according to their trades and occupations, to pay twice so much as a

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freeman; an innkeeper using the said water to water his houses,—two pounds, tenne shillings; a soap-boiler,—one pound, tenne shillings; and that all water carriers, that carry from the common conduite water in cooles for brewing, shall pay each of them fourty shillings, sterling, for that they are observed to be great wasters of the said water, otherwise to be prohibited.

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Inn-keepers.
Soap boilers.
Water carriers.
Conduit.

Waste.

Upon which certaine the commons, by their petition to this assembly, humbly praied that the said proposalls might be allowed of and confirmed by this assembly, to the end that a speedy course might be taken for mending and repaireing of the watercourse of the citty, that the castle and city might be supplied with water.

Upon consideration of which petition and proposalls aforesaid, the said assembly doe approve and allow of the proposalls of the said committee

And it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by this assembly and the

Order.

authority thereof, that Mr. Mayor, the Sherriffes, Alderman Richard Tighe, Alderman Daniel Huchinson, Alderman Marke Quin, Alderman Lewis Desmeneeres, Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. John Tottie, Mr. George Hewlett, Mr. Christopher Bennett, Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. John Sargeant and Mr. Robert Meade are appointed a committee to putt the said proposalls, and every of them, in execution; and that the said committee, or any five of them (whereof the Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be allwaies two), be authorized and impowred to meete from time to time,

Com-
mittee.

Meetings.

as they shall find cause, for putting the said proposalls in execution, and also to heare and determine all such complaints as shall come before them from time to time touching the premisses, and to give such releife therein as they shall see cause, and the power of the said committee to continue untill Michaellmas assembly next, and no longer, and that in the meanetime the said committee is to give an account of their proceedings in the premisses as often as they shall be called there-

Complaints.

Account.

1663. Richard Lord.	unto by the assemblies. And it is further ordered and	Roll xiv. m. 34 b.
Works. Water- course.	agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Richard	
Rents.	Lord, of the said citty of Dublin, goldsmith, bee and is	
Allowance.	heereby appointed to oversee the workes of the said	
Oath.	watercourse from time to time during the pleasure of	
	the said committee, and to collect and receive the	
	severall rents, fines and forfeitures reserved to the	
	citty by the said proposalls; and the same from time	
	to time to pay over unto the said committee, or whom	
	they shall appoint to receive the same; and the said	
	collector is to be allowed for his paines and care in	
	collecting and receiving the said rents, fines and	
	forfeitures two shillings, sixe pence, sterling, in the	
	pound, and for his doeings in the premisses he is from	
	time to time to receive directions and instructions from	
	the said committee, and not to act any otherwise than	
	by such directions. And the said collector is to give up	
	his accompts to the said committee upon oath, as often	
	as the said committee shall require the same.	

[2.] Whereas also certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by an act¹ of assembly made att midsommer assembly last, it was agreed that Alderman Marke Quin, and others in the said act named, should cause an estimate to be made of what money should be requisite for the repaireing and new building of the water conduite of St. Michael's church, and that the masters of the citty workes should take care that the worke should be done. The petitioners further shew that the said worke is long since begun, and is in a very good way of finishing and compleating for the use of the said citty; but the referrees, upon the view of the said worke, doe find that although they formerly were of opinion that nine and twenty pounds, sterling, or thereabouts, would accomplish the new building of the said conduite, yet since that time they observe that the said worke cannot be finished as it

Water
conduit.
St.
Michael's
church.

¹ See p. 262.

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ought to be without a further charge of eightene 1663.
pounds, sterling; the petitioners therefore humbly Charge.
praised the said assembly to order that the treasurer, on
warrant from Mr. Maior, might forthwith pay the said
summe of eightene pounds, sterling, to Mr. William
Whitshead (whoe was formerly appointed to oversee Whitshead.
the said worke), to be expended by him for the worke
aforesaid, and to be accomptable for the same: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that the summe of eightene pounds, sterling,
be paied into the hands of the said William Whitshead
out of the first monies that shall be received by the
committee appointed to manage the affaires of the Manage-
watercourse of the citty, and that the money be Water-
employed by the said Mr. Whitshead for the finishing course.
and compleateing of the aforesaid conduit, and the Comple-
aforesaid committee to be allowed the said eightene tion.
pounds upon their accompts to the treasurer of the
citty.

[3.] Whereas also Richard Lord, goldsmith, petitioned Richard
likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that he, by Lord.
order from the right worshipfull William Smith, esquire, William
now Maior of the said citty, was imployed to make a Smith,
silver mace for the use of the said citty, which said Mayor.
mace was made and delivered unto the said Mr. Maior Mace.
by the petitioner, the three and twentieth of October
last, which came to eight pounds, thirteene shillings and Cost,
sixe pence, sterling, as by a note then delivered may
appeare, for which the petitioner hath received noe
satisfaction; the petitioner therefore humbly praised
the said assembly that he might forthwith receive the
aforesaid summe of eight pounds, thirteene shillings
and six pence, sterling: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the
petitioner doe receive the said summe of eight pounds,
thirteene shillings and six pence, sterling, by him
expended for the mace aforesaid, to be paid unto the

1663. petitioner by the treasurer of the citty, by warrant Roll xiv.
m. 34 b.
from Mr. Maior for the same.

1663-4. 1663-4. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1663. m. 36.

Laws, orders and constitutions:— [1.] Whereas

William
Hill.
City free
school.

William Hill, doctor in divinity, master of the free
schoole of the citty of Dublin, preferred petition unto
the said assembly, showing that the petitioner, haveing
imployment in the ministry,¹ and haveing declared to
the right worshipfull the Maior of this citty his
intention of leaveing his schoole at May day next,
the petitioner was informed that thereupon certeine
persons are addressing themselves by petition to the
said assembly that they might be elected to succede
the petitioner in the said imployment, whom the
petitioner is desirous not to obstructe, onely he judgeth
it requisite to informe the said assembly that there is
a yeares sallary in arreares to him, determinig at
Christmas last, and that there is due to him sixteene
pounds, two shillings and foure pence, sterling, for the
repaire of the outside of the said schoole above two
yeares since (which was by order of the generall
assembly to be done at the charge of the citty, and the
charge was certified by the masters of the works, and
appointed by the Maior's warrant to be paid by the
treasurer, but hath beene ever since delayed); and
the petitioner further shewed that he likewise expended
(the last summer) about twenty five pounds, sterling,
upon the said schoolehouse, to make it a convenient
habitation for a family, as the petitioner can make
appeare by particular accompts; the petitioner therefore
humbly praied the said assembly to take some effectuall
course, that he might be speedily paid his arreares of
sallary, together with the above mentioned sixteene
pounds, two shillings and foure pence, sterling, for the
repaires of the said schoole, and that his next quarters

Resigna-
tion.

Applica-
tions.
Succession.

Repairs.

¹ Installed prebendary of St. Patrick's, Dublin, in 1662.

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m. 36.

sallary might be paid when the quarter should be expired, and that he might have some reasonable allowance for his late charges on the said house, since he shall have soe short an injoyment thereof, or that he might be permitted to live in the said house till Michaelmas next, in consideration of his charges upon it (resigneing the schoole at May day next), and that the petitioner will at the time above mentioned give quiett possession of the schoole to any person whom the citty shall elect: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that soe much of the petitioners sallary as is due and in arreares be paid by the threasurer of this citty, and that he be allowed soe much of his reparations of the said house as shall be adjudged necessary by the masters of the citty workes, who are to take the accompts of the petitioner, and to view the said reparations, and the same to reporte to the next assembly, to the end that such course may be taken in the next assembly for the petitioners further satisfaction as shall be thought fitt.

[2.] Whereas also Francis Fletcher petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that he haveing formerly manifested in some measure his abilities in point of schollershipp to his grace the late lord arch-bisshop¹ of Dublin, now lord primate of Ireland, and understanding that Doctor Hill, now master of the free schoole of this citty, was to surrender his place (being otherwise provided for elsewhere), did obtaine his graces suffrage and assent to succede him whensoever he should resigne the same; the petitioner therefore humblie praied the said assembly to take the premisses into consideration, and soe farr to condescend to the petitioners request as that he may be invested in the said free schoole and endowed with the sallary thereunto belonging, whenas the said Doctor Hill relinquisheth the

¹ James Margetson.

1663-4.

same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner shall be invested in the said free schoole, and endowed with the sallary thereunto belonging, dureing the pleasure of this citty, whenas the said Doctor Hill shall relinquish the same. Roll xiv.
m. 36.

Robert
Deey.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Robert Deey, of the citty of Dublin, alderman, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, commeneeing from Michaelmas last, of a small thatched house, with a little backside, neere Fyans bridge in Oxmantowne, containing at the north end fourtie and seven foote, and at the south end thirty and nine foot, and in length two hundred, twenty and sixe foote, at the yearely rent of tenne pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of this citty for the time being, for the use of the said eitty, and a couple of fatt capons to the Maior of the said citty for the time being att Christmas yearely, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, att the election and echoice of the said Maior, over and above all manner of subsidies, taxes and all other impositions of what nature or kind soever to be laid on the premisses; with such other clauses, covenants and conditions as Mr. Reeorder shall insert in the said lease.

John
Forrest.

[4.] That John Forrest, of the citty of Dublin, alderman, shall have a lease for tearme of ninety nine yeares, commeneeing at Easter next, upon one peece of wast ground or wharfe to the side of the river Liffie on the backside of the said John Forrests house scituate in Bridgestreete, containing one hundred, fifty and two foote in length from east to west, and from Sir William Ushers wall on the south, and soe northwarde to the river, eightene foote, att the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said eitty for the time being, for the use of the said eitty, and one couple of fatt capons to the Maior of the said citty of Dublin for the time being att Christmas yearely (etc., as in No. 3.)

Wharf.
Liffey.Sir
William
Usher.

Roll. xiv.
m. 36.

[5.] That sir William Usher, knight (for and in consideration of the summe of fifty pounds, sterling, fine by him to be paid to the threasurer of this citty for the use of the said citty), shall have a fee farme for ever of one peece of ground, commonly called the Island, lyeing behind the said sir William Ushers dwelling house in Bridgestreete, which said Island containes foure acres and eighteene pearches of firme land, and from the extreame parte of the said Island on the Liffie by a lyne towards the Bridge in widenesse into the Liffie aforesaid, distant from the said sir William Ushers wall three pearches, and also from the said extreame parte westward by the said line into the said Liffy foure pearches, videlicet, from the furthest banke or out bounds of the said Island next the mill streame, att the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, of currant and lawfull money of and in England, to be paid to the threasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, over and above all charges, taxes, subsidies, impositions and incumbrances whatsoever; and that such other clauses and covenants be inserted in the said deede of graunt of the premisses as Mr. Recorder shall judge fitting.

1663-4.
Sir
William
Usher.

Island.

Bridge
street.

Liffey.

Mill
stream.
Money.

m. 37, 38.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

1663-4, February 19.

m. 36 b.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Richard Tighe, of the citty of Dublin, alderman, shall have a fee farme of a parcell of ground in Oxmantowne Greene, scituate, lyeing and heinge on the south side of the said Greene, near the river of Analiffy, containing in length, from two pearches length of the Bridewell in the east, the full number of twenty eight pearches, and in bredth from north to south thirteene pearches; and, for the better accomodation of gentlemen and others resortinge to the said Greene, it is further

Richard
Tighe.Oxmantown
Green.

Liffey.

Bridewell.

Accommo-
dation.
Resort to
Green.

1663-4.	ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, <small>Roll xiv. m. 36 b.</small>
Building.	that the said Richard Tighe shall alsoe have a fee farne of a wast plott of ground fitt for the building of an house for the accommodation of gentlemen and others resorting to the said Greene, containing in length, from the plott of ground laid out for a bowling greene in the east, twelve pearches, and in bredth from north to south at the east end thirteene pearches, and at the west end eight pearches, at the yearely rent of twenty shillings per annum, payable unto the citty, and a couple of fatt capons unto the Maior of the said citty for the time being; and the said Richard Tighe, in consideration thereof, is bound to build a wall of stone or brick round about the said bowling greene, to containe tenne foote in height and twentie inches in thicknesse; and alsoe to build a convenient house on some parte of the said ground for the accommodation of gentlemen and others which shall resort to the said Greene; and the said
Wall.	Richard Tighe shall at his owne charges levell the said ground for makeing the said bowling greene, which is to containe in length twentie eight pearches, and to sodd the same; and that the said twenty eight pearches of ground shall be disposed of to noe other use but for a bowling greene; and if the said Richard Tighe, or any under his interest, shall otherwise make use of the said bowling greene, this grant of fee farne from that time to cease and be void, or the said Richard Tighe to pay one hundred pounds, sterling, per annum for the said ground, at the citties election; and that such other clauses and covenants be inserted in the said deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
Dimen- sions, House.	
Levelling.	
Sodding.	
Reserva- tion.	
Penalty.	
Chamber- laine.	[2.] Whereas Elizabeth Chamberlaine petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that she had constantly and dayly cleansed, swept and made cleane the Thollsell and Newhall in this citty, and from time to time made fires in the said halls as occasion did require, and for that the petitioners necessities were great, and noe allowance had
Tholsel.	
New hall.	

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m. 36 b.

beene given her for her great care and paines therein, 1663-4.
which enforced her to make her humble addresse unto
the said assembly, in regard of her poverty and indigent
condition; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the
said assembly that they would be pleased to graunt her
some satisfaction for the time already past, and alsoe to
graunt and give her such allowance for the future as
should be thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be
allowed fifty shillings, sterling, to be paid by the threa-
surer, on Mr. Maiors warrant, for her service for the
time past.

1664.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

1664.

m. 39.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing
that forasmuch as the kings most excellent majestie had
by his letters unto this citty signified his royall will and
pleasure that sir Daniell Bellingham, knight (whose
place it is to be Maior of the said citty of Dublin the
next ensueing yeare), may be dispenced withall from
serveing as Maior of the said citty for the next ensueing
yeare, and forasmuch as it might be very prejudiciall for
such persons as were to succeed the said sir Daniell, the
said commons therefore humbly prayed the said assembly
that (for the reasons in the said petition mentioned)
there might be an order made by the said assembly that
the said act of succession might be dispenced with for
this time: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority of the said assembly, that the said act be
dispenced with for this time, and the said sir Daniell be
and is hereby dispenced with from serveing as Maior of
the said citty for the next ensueing yeare.

King's
letters.

Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham.
Mayoralty.
Dispen-
sation.

Act of
succession.

[2.] Whereas alsoe John, lord viscount Massareene³ and Massa-
reene.

¹ 16 Charles II.

² Easter-day, 10 April, 1664.

³ Sir John Clotworthy, created in

1660 baron of Lough Neagh, and vis-
count Massereene.

1664.
Belling-
ham.Oxman-
towne.
Deed.Seal of
city.

Loss.

Cancell-
ation.

Hill.

Freeschool
of city.

Salary.

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in. 39.

sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that the citty had beene pleased to graunt unto sir Daniell Bellingham and his heires a plott of ground in Oxmantowne, as by a deed indented (one parte whereof now remaining in the eustody of the said citty) and made betweene the said citty, of the one parte, and the said sir Daniell Bellingham, of the other parte, more plainely doth appeare, and further shewed that the said sir Daniell Bellingham had made over all his right, title and interest in the premises unto the said lord viseount Massareene, but for that the counterparte of the said deed, indented, sealed by the said citty, and delivered to the said sir Daniell Bellingham, is easually lost or soe mislayd as the same cannot be found, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that the premisses in the said deed mentioned might be made over to the said lord Massareene and his heires, under the same elauses, covenants, conditions and provisoes contained in the said deed made to the said sir Daniell, and that, uppon perfecting of the same, that other parte of the deede sealed by the said sir Daniell now remaineing in the cittyes custody as aforesaid might be cancelled: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that a new deed be made as is desired, and that a clause be inserted in the said new deed mentioning the losse of the former, and a covenant to surrender the said deed soe meneioned to be lost, if the same hereafter shall be found, and the said former deed be cancelled as is desired.

[3.] Whereas alsoe William Hill, doctor in divinity, master of the free schoole of the said citty of Dublin, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that, upon a former petition¹ unto the said assembly, he had declared his intention of leaving the said schoole, and desired such sallary as was then in arreare to him, parte whereof he hath since receeived, and for satisfaction of

¹ See p. 282.

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m. 39.

the charges which he had beene at the last spring 1664.
in repaireing the schoolehouse belonging to the citty, to ^{School-house.}
make it a convenient habitation for a family, which had
not been used as a dwelling house of a long time past,
and was unfitt for that use without reparation. The
citty was pleased to order that the masters of the ^{Masters of works.}
citty workes should take his accompts and view the
said repaires, and that the petitioner should have satisfaction according to their reporte to be made to this assembly. The petitioner further shewed that the masters of the workes had, according to the order aforesaid, received the said accompts and viewed the said reparations, and thereupon given in their reporte. The petitioner, therefore, humbly praied the said assembly that they would be pleased to give order that he might receive satisfaction for the said reparations, and that (with the 'sallary yet in arreare being satisfied) he is ready immediately to resigne and yeeld upp the schoole and house, with all the appurtenances undefaced, to the person whome the citty have elected to succeed him: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the threasurer of the citty doe satisfy and pay unto the petitioner his said sallary, now in arrear ^{Payment.}es unto him, and alsoe the summe of twenty foure pounds, foure shillings and seven pence, sterling, accordinge to the said reporte, and that the petitioners acquittance shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

[4.] Whereas alsoe the provost, fellows and schollars of Trinity Colledge, petitioned likewise unto the said ^{Trinity College.}
assembly, shewing that the lands whereon the colledge ^{Lands.}
of the Holy and Undivided Trinity of Queene Elizabeth neer Dublin, is scituate, were by the citty of Dublin ^{City.}
granted¹ unto the petitioners, which they with all ^{Grant.}
thankfullnesse doe and will acknowledge; and whereas there is some difference concerning the bounds and ^{Bounds.}
meares whereby the said lands may be distinguished, to ^{Meares}

¹ See vol. ii., p. xiv.

1664. the greate inconvenience of the said colledge, and prejudice of that signall favour this citty shewed to the advancement of religion and learning in this kingdome ; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that they would be pleased to joyne with them in a legall commission for perambulation, to distinguish the just limmits and meares of the citties said graunt, or that some other course might be taken for the makeing good what hath beene soe graunted, that the petitioners may peaceably enjoy the same, and that the just honor the citty hath received in doing soe pious an act may be preserved and continued to the citty : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that a commission be admitted according to law to proceed for the perambulating of the meares and boundes aforesaid, according to the desire of the said petitioners. Roll xiv.
m. 39.
- Com-
mission.
Perambula-
tion. [5.] Whereas alsoe the master, wardens and company of barber chirurgeons of the citty of Dublin petitioned likewise unto the assembly, shewing that a lease was graunted unto the said company of the gate house called Paul gate, whereupon they expended in repairs, etc., towards forty pounds, sterling, and shortly after the said premisses were commanded away for his majesties service, and made a receipt for a guard, and soe continues ; that, notwithstanding, the rent is demanded which was duley paid untill the petitioners were outed ; the petitioners further shewed that even before the late rebellion begun there was about fourescore pounds, sterling, disbursed upon the premisses by the said company, all which was lost by reason of the then troubles, and the house a prison ; all which being duely considered, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to passe an act or make some other provision that the said company be not charged with nor lyable to the payment of any rent untill they have the full and free enjoyment of the premisses pursuant to the said lease : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that m. 37 b.
- Barber
surgeons.
- Paul gate
- Guard.
- Rebellion.
- Prison.

Roll xiv.
m. 39 b.

the thesaurer of the citty be required to forbear levying ^{1664.}
the said rent in arrear for the reasons in the said ^{Arrears.}
petition mentioned, and this order to continue untill
further order.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Christopher Duffe, officer of the <sup>Christo-
pher
Duffe.</sup>
commons, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly,
sheweing that he, for the honour and creditt of this
citty, and for the better demeaning of himselfe in his said
imploymment, had disbursed and laid out of his purse the <sup>Disburse-
ment.</sup>
summe of sixe pounds, sterling, and upwards, to buy a
mace to weare and carry before the sword and cheife <sup>Mace.
Sword.
Mayor.</sup>
magistrate of this citty uppon all necessary occasions ;
the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly
that the said money by him bestowed on a mace as afore-
said might be repayed unto the petitioner out of the
cittie treasurie, and that the said mace might apperteine
unto the citty as the rest of the maces doe: it is there- <sup>City.
Maces.</sup>
fore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
that the thesaurer of the citty doe satisfy the petitioner
the said summe of sixe pounds, sterling, and that the
said mace doe belong from henceforth to the said citty,
and that the petitioners acquittance shall be a sufficient
discharge for the same.

[7.] Whereas alsoe Rowland Jones petitioned likewise <sup>Rowland
Jones,</sup>
unto the said assembly, shewing that he for many yeares
past hath faithfully and diligently served the citty att
all commandes, and being now aged, haveing little or
nothing whereon to subsist but what he acquired by his
said service ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the
said assembly to graunt him some better imploymment,
whereby himselfe, his wife and family might be in some
wise releived : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner shall be and
is hereby appointed yeoman of the Maiors wardrope, and <sup>Mayor's
wardrobe.</sup>
that he have the auncient fee of fourtie shillings yearly,
to be paid by the thesaurer of the citty for the time
being ; and likewise that the said Rowland Jones be

1664.

Fore-
stallers.
Markets.
Fines.

employed to looke after such persons as from time to time doe forestall the marketts of this citty, and that the said Rowland Jones shall have out of the fines to be imposed on such delinquent persons soe much as the Maior and reeorder shall thinke fitt, the same to be done in the quarter sessions. Ro:l xiv. m. 39 b.

Elias
Best.

[8.] Whercas alsoe Elias Best, vintner, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that the citty, by their deed indented bearing date the seaven and twentieth day of April, 1655, did demise unto John

Betson.

St.
Nicholas'
street.

Betson, of the same citty, merchant, a wast plott of ground, seituat in Saint Nicholas streete, for sixty one yeares, at the rent of five pounds, five shillings, sterling, per annum, fifty two ycares whereof are yet to come and unexpired ; that the petitioner for valuable consideration purchased the said John Betsons interest in the premisses, and built a house upon the same, to a considerable value ;

George
Usher.

that one George Usher (haveing before that time a lease of the premisses from the citty for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, whereof sixty foure yeares are yet to come and unexpired (whieh was unknowne to the petitioner), disturbed your petitioner in his building and improveing the same, by meanes whereof the petitioner was compelled to satisfy and pay unto the said Usher the summe of fifty pounds, sterling, to eleere the title from that incumbrancee ; the premisses considered, and forasmuch as the petitioner, for the good affection he hath constantly borne unto this citty, hath beene at the charges of fifty pounds, sterling, to make good the citties title to the said ground, and hath considerably built thereon as aforesaid ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to graunt unto him a lease of the premisses for ninety nine yeares at the same rent which the said Mr. Usher was to pay, being three pounds

Surrender
of leases.

per annum, the petitioner surrendring the former leases : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner (surrendring the said two

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leases made to the said Betson and the said Usher) is to 1664.
have a lease for ninety nine years of the premisses, at Grant.
the yearely rent of five pounds, five shillings, sterling,
together with a couple of fatt capons yearely, or five
shillings in liew thereof, and that such other clauses,
covenants and conditions be inserted in the said lease as
the recorder shall thinke fitt, and the said lease to
commence from Easter last.

[9.] Whereas also Thomas Bird, trunkmaker, did peti- Thomas
tion likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that he, Bird.
being a freeman and native of the citty of Dublin, and
brother of the smiths corporation, did on the last Black Smiths'
Monday, in obedience to a command and auncient custome, corpora-
march to Cullenwood, and was by one of the next ranke tion.
shott, and his right arme thereby soe shattered and Black
broaken that the chirurgeons, with the doctors advice, Monday.
were forced to cutt it speedily off; and now the poor Cullens-
petitioner being in much anguish, and haveing nothing wood.
either to releive himselfe or his poore wife and children, Accident.
or to satisfie the doctor or chirurgeons, whoe have taken
a great deale of paines and care of the petitioner; the Amputa-
premisses tenderly considered, and for that the petitioners tion.
wife and family had none other subsistance than what
was gained by the petitioners honest endeavours in his
trade, of the benefitt whereof the petitioner is now
lamentably deprived by the losse of his right arme as
aforesaid, and for that the petitioner, his wife and small
children will certainly perish if not, in the abundance of
the cittys great charity, timely releived; the petitioner
therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to lay downe
some rule whereby the petitioner may be provided of a
yearely sallary from the citty, and the rather because
the same cannot be brought into president: therefore, on
consideration had of the petitioners sad condition, and
for that the same cannot be brought into any president,
and to the end the petitioner may receive a present and
also a future annuall supply from the citty, it is ordered

Doctors.
Surgeons.

1664. and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that a committee be appointed for the speedy applo^{Roll xiv.}ttment of m. 39 6.
 Applot- tenne pounds, sterling, proportionably on the severall
 ment, and respective corporations of this citty for the
 Corpora- answering of the present necessities of the poore
 tions, petitioner in defraying the charges to physitians and
 churgeons, as alsoe for the due applo^{m. 40.}ttment of tenne
 pounds, yearely, to the petitioner, to be paid during his
 life, the said summe of tenne pounds, sterling, yearely to
 be proportionably applo^{m. 40.}tted on the severall and respective
 corporations by the committee aforesaid, and that the
 severall applo^{m. 40.}ttments soe to be applo^{m. 40.}tted on the said
 Enrolment. severall corporations be severally inrolled in the severall
 halls of the severall corporations; and that the said
 annuall summe of tenne pounds soe to be applo^{m. 40.}tted as
 Collection. aforesaid be levyed and collected by the petitioner or
 his attorney by the warrant of the Maior for the time
 being during the terme aforesaid, as alsoe the said
 summe of tenne pounds to be applo^{m. 40.}tted as aforesaid for
 his speedy supply as aforesaid; and that the committee
 be the persons following, that is to say, sir George
 Gilbert, knight, John Cranwell, alderman, Enoch Reader,
 alderman, and the rest of the committee nominated by
 the commons, that is to say, Mr. William Whitshed, Mr.
 Hugh Price, Mr. Edward Twelves, Mr. Richard Byrne,
 Mr. Richard Brookin, Mr. William Thurgood, Mr. Thomas
 Graves, Mr. John Gardiner, Mr. Joseph Stoker, Mr. Rees
 Phillipps and Mr. Thomas Sharpe.
- [10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
 Cooke. authority aforesaid, that Thomas Cooke, of the citty of
 Graves. Dublin, tanner, and Thomas Graves, of the same, clothier,
 shall have a lease for the tearme of ninety nine yeares,
 to commence from Michaelmas next, of a parcell of
 St. Kevan's ground neer Saint Kevans streete, on which there is a
 street. court of guard built, conteining from the high way
 Court of leading unto Saint Stephens Greene in the south, in
 guard. length to the north end thereof, two hundred foote, and
 St. Stephen's
 green.

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at the south end (leaveing thirty five foote for an high ^{1664.} way) fifty foote in breadth, and at the north end, leaveing an high way as aforesaid, in breadth thirty foote, at the yearely rent of tenne pounds, sterling, and a couple of fatt capons yearely, the said capons to be paid yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in liew thereof, with such other clauses, covenants and provisoes to be inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[11.] That John Totty, alderman, shall have a lease of Totty. a peece of wast ground lyeing in Little Butter lane, for ^{Little Butter lane.} the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence from Michaelmas next, conteining in length, from north to south, foure hundred, sixty and two foote, and in breadth, at the north end, twenty and seaven foote, in the south end, eightene foote; bounding, on the east, with Tirrells Parkes (alias Tib and Tom), on the west, ^{Tirrells Park. Tib and Tom.} with Little Butter lane, on the south, with a parcell of wast ground sett unto one Mr. William Vincent, and on ^{Vincent.} the north end, with the new walls of an house now in building by Mr. Robert Hall, att the yearely rent of ^{Building.} twenty pounds, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty, for the use of the said citty, and a couple of fatt capons yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in liew thereof; with other clauses and covenants to be inserted in the said lease, as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[12.] Alderman William Smith is chosen Maior of the ^{Mayor.} citty of Dublin for the next ensueing yeare.

[13.] Mr. Joshua Allen and Mr. Francis Brewster are ^{Sheriffs.} chosen Sherriffes for the said yeare.

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Admissions to franchise on second Friday after Easter, ^{Franchise.} 1664, and on fourth Friday after 24 June, 1664.

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1664, July 29.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing

1664. Debts to Crown.	that there is oweing unto his sacred majestie the summe of	Roll xiv. m. 43.
Arrears.	one hundred and twelve pounds, eight shillings and foure	
Rents.	pence halfe pennie, for three yeares arreares due by this	
Exchequer. Writ.	cittie for the rents of severall fee farmes held by this	
	cittie; and for non-payment thereof there hath issued	
	out of the exchequer a writt of assistance against the	
	cittie, which will redound to the great prejudice of this	
	cittie, if some speedie course be not taken for satisfying	
	the same by the said assembly; the said commons there-	
	fore humbly prayed the said assembly to lay downe a	
	course for satisfying the said summe, and to prevent	
	anie further trouble and charge which may happen by	
	reason of the said arreares: it is therefore ordered and	
	agreed upon, by the authoritie of the said assembly, that	
	the threasurer of the cittie for the time being be required	
Payment.	to pay the said summe of one hundred and twelve pounds,	
	eight shillings and foure pence halfe pennie, in the	
	petition mentioned, out of the first moneys that shall	
	come unto the said threasurers hand for the satisfying of	
	the said debt.	
	[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons	
	petitioned likewise unto the said assembly that there is	
Fire. Candle- light. Guards.	a great want of provision of fire and candlelight for the	
	horse and foote guardes of this cittie of Dublin for the	
	next ensueinge yeare, which being a busines of such	
	publique concernement to this cittie, that all persons	
	inhabiting in this cittie and suburbs thereof ought to	
	beare an equall burthen therein; the said commons	
	therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to order an	
Applot- ment.	applotment for leavying of a summe of money on the	
	severall inhabitants of this cittie for the use aforesaid, and	
	that there might be a convenient place appointed by this	
Accounts. Constables. Parishes.	assembly for examineing the accountes of the constables	
	of the severall parishes of this cittie for the last yeare,	
	that it may appeare how the money assessed and collected	
	the last yeare for the use aforesaid was disposed of, that	
	such further order might be conceived therein as the said	

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assembly should thinke fitt: it is therefore ordered and 1664.
agreed upon, by the authoritie aforesaid, that a com- Committee.
mittee be appointed for takeing of the former accomptes
of the last yeare, and to compute the charge of the
next yeare, and to cesse the same on the severall Assess-
ment
inhabitants of this cittie, and the same to be leavyed by
warrant from Mr. Maior for the time being; and that
the committee be three of the aldermen, that is to say,
Alderman John Desmineere, Alderman John Cranwell Aldermen.
and Alderman John Forrest, and six of the commons,
to be named by the commons, and that the Maior and one
of the Sheriffes to be of the said committee, and that the
quorum be anie five of them, whereof the Maior and one
of the Sheriffes to be allwaies two. The persons named
by the commons are the persons hereafter mencioned: Commons.
Mr. John Eastwood, Mr. Hugh Price, Mr. John Dutton,
Mr. John Smith, Mr. William Whitshead and Mr. William
Thurgood.

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[3.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred a
petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas
divers persons had petitioned to have severall peeces of
Saint Stephens Greene in lease from the cittie, which St.
Stephen's
Green.
Survey.
had been surveyed accordingly; the petitioners therefore
humbly prayed that a course might be layd downe at
this assembly for setting and letting of the said ground Setting.
for the best advantage of the cittie: it is therefore
ordered and agreed, by the authoritie aforesaid, first, that
the number of eightie six proportions of land, parte of Proportions.
Saint Stephens Greene, be sett in fee farme at the rates Rates of
rent.
hereafter mentioned, that is to say, for the south parte South
part.
of the land soe to be lett a halfe pennie a yeare for everie
foote, consisting of twelve inches by the square, contained
in each one of the said eightie six proportions of land,
being sixtie foote to the front apeece, measureing the Measurement.
said ground and accompting the same by the foote, as
aforesaid, from the front to the furthest end of the
severall proportions contained in the said south side, and

1664. St. Stephen's Green. East. North. West. Lots.	one pennie per foote for the severall proportions on the east, north and west partes of the said land, to be measured from the front to the furthest end, as aforesaid ; secondly, that the said proportions be cast lotts for in such manner as the assembly shall please to direct ;	Roll. xiv. m. 43 b.
Drawing.	thirdly, that everie person who shall draw anie lott doe	
Fines.	engage to pay tenn shillings, sterling, for or out of everie	
Rent.	twelve pence rent, by or pursuant to his lott to be drawne, he shall be to pay for rent yearely, and that the money soe to be raised, videlicet, the tenn shillings for	
Wall.	everie twelve penee, be disposed of for walling in the	
Paving.	whole Greene aforesaid, and for paveing the rodes or	
Roads. Streets.	streetes in such manner as this assembly shall see fittings; the said monies to be payed one halfe at the sealing of	
Limitation.	the said deeds, and the other halfe within three moneths	
Bonds.	time next after their severall grants shall be perfected, and to give bonds for the same ; and if in case the said	
Cost.	tenn shillings out of everie twelve pence rent be not suffieient to wall in and pave as is aforesaid, that then	
	each person that shall have a lott as aforesaid be engaged to pay proportionably in the like manner, and after the	
	same rate as aforesaid, towards the finishing of the said	
Completion.	wall and pavements, untill the same shall be finished as the said assembly shall order, and that each person shall	
Planting.	plant (soe as they shall all grow for at least three yeares)	
Sycamore trees.	six siceamore trees, neere the said wall, as shall be ordered alsoe by the said assembly ; and in case the said	
	tenn shillings for everie twelve penee rent shall surmounte the charge of the wall and pavement aforesaid,	
Charge.	that then the overplus be divided equally and proportionably to those persons who shall disburse the same ;	
Overplus.	fourthly, that such persons as shall be disposed to build	
Building.	towards the front of all or anie parte of their severall	
Front.	proportions, that they be engaged to build of brick, stone	
Brick. Stone.	and timber, to be covered with tiles or slates, with at	
Timber.	least two floores or loftes and a cellar, if they please to digg it ; lastly, that the severall deedes be drawne by	
Floors. Cellars.		

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one president or copie, such as shall be advised by Mr. Recorder, who is to have five pounds for drawing the first and onely rough draft; and that the cittie seale be set unto the severall grants, and noe fine or consideration required for the same, in regard that the whole designe of all persons concerned is chiefly for the reputation, advantage, ornament and pleasure of the cittie.

1664.
St. Stephen's
Green.
Seal.
Grants.
Design.
City.

m. 44.

1664, August 5.

Acts and orders:—[1.] Whereas John Eastwood petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that he payeth unto the cittie foure pounds per annum for Saint Nicholas Gate, and that the said gate is taken up from him by the souldiers by speciall orders from the lord lieutenant, to his verie great damage; he therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to respite the said rent due to this cittie during the said souldiers abode there, or until the petitioner should gett an order for their removall: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoritie of the said assembly, that the said rent of foure pounds per annum, due for St. Nicholas Gate by the petitioner, be and is hereby respited during the said souldiers abode in the said gate.

Eastwood.
St. Nicholas' Gate.
Soldiers

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the committee appointed by act of assembly¹ to consider of setting and letting that parte of Saint Stephens Greene, which was surveyed for that purpose, had made their reporte unto the assembly, pursuant to the said act, and did thereby certifie that severall proportions of land might be sett in fee farme at the rates mentioned in their said reporte, and that lotts might be cast for the said proportions in such manner as this assembly should direct; and whereas severall citizens of this cittie have drawne their severall lotts for parte of the said Greene, soe sett out to be disposed of as aforesaid, the petitioners

Committee.
St. Stephen's Green.
Report.
Proportions.
Rates.
Casting lots.

¹ See pp. 271, 297.

1664. St. Stephen's Greene. Leases.	therefore humbly prayed an order of this assembly that	Roll xiv. m. 41.
	all such persons as had drawne their lotts for anie parte	
	of the said Greene might take out their severall leases	
	before Michaelmas day next, and that there might be a	
	day appointed by this assembly for the perfecting their	
Refusal.	said leases, and that all such persons who should refuse	
Delay.	or delay to take out their said leases and pay their	
Fines.	severall fines at that day soe to be appointed by this	
	assembly as aforesaid, pursuant to the said proposalls,	
Annulment.	that then their leases might cease and be voyd, as this	
	assembly should direct: therefore, on consideration of	
	the said petition, it is ordered and agreed, by the	
	authoritie of the said assembly, that the severall persons	
	who have drawne or have right unto anie proportion or	
Outbounds.	proportions of lands on the outbounds or skirts of Saint	
	Stephens Greene, mentioned in the said petition, shall	
	procure their severall deeds or grants for the same,	
Seal.	respectively, to be prepared and made ready to be sealed	
Limitation.	by the second day of September, next comeing, which is	
	the day and time appointed for the sealing and perfecting	
	of them; and if anie person or persons shall refuse or delay	
	to prepare a deed or grant, to be made according to the	
	conditions and covenants mentioned and expressed in the	
	act of assembly heretofore made concerning the same,	
	such person or persons so refusing or delaying as afore-	
	said are to have noe benefit by the aforesaid lott or lotts	
	by them drawne, and that the next ensueing assembly	
Disposal.	may dispose of the lotts or proportions of all such	
	persons as shall refuse or delay as aforesaid, as if noe grant	
	thereof had been formerly made; and it is likewise	
	ordered, by the authoritie aforesaid, that the hereafter	
	named committee be authorized to attend Mr. Recorder,	
	and to inform him concerning the draught of the deeds,	
	or graunts soe to be made, and it is alsoe ordered that	
John Desmi- neers.	Alderman John Desmineers be and is hereby desired	
	and authorized to receive the severall summes of money	
Payment.	that each and everie person is to pay according to the	

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rules agreed upon, whose acquittance shall be a good discharge unto them on the sealing and perfecting of the said deeds or grants; and the said Alderman John Desmineers is to pay out the same as he shall be directed by the said committee, and that the said committee for the said affaires shall be Mr. Maior, Mr. Recorder, the two Sheriffes for the time being, Alderman Cranwell, Alderman Tighe, Sir Daniel Bellingham, Alderman Lewis Desmineers, Alderman Cooke, Alderman Reader, Alderman Tottie, and eight of the commons, to be named by the commons, or any five of them, the Maior or one of the Sheriffes to be alwaies one. The commons nominated to be of the said committee are Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. Thomas Jones, Mr. Nathaniel Fowkes, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. Christopher Bennett Mr. Luke Lowther, Mr. John Saricant and Mr. Warner Westenra.

1664.
St.
Stephen's
Green.

Committee.

Aldermen.

Commons.

Memorandum: That the severall lotts or proportions of land sett out on Saint Stephens Greene and the respective tennant to each lott are as hereafter followeth:

St.
Stephen's
Green:

Lotts on Saint Stephens Green: North side:

North side.

No. 1.—It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Peter Wybrants, of the city of Dublin, alderman, shall have a fee-farme for ever upon one plott or parcell of ground scittuatt, lying and being on the north side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the first lott of that side, containing to the lane leading to Baggotrath from the said Greene sixty foote, and on the extreame backward part thereof the like number of sixty foote, and on the east side thereof eighty foote, and on the west side the like number of eighty foote, att the yearely rent of six shillings and eight pence, sterling, according to an act of assembly of the said city, made the nine and twentieth day of July, in the yeare of our Lord God, 1664.

Grant.

Wybrants.

First lot.

Baggotrath.

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Grants, in similar form, to the following persons: plots of ground, each measuring in breadth, in front, sixty feet, and in length from eighty to two hundred and eighty-

Grants.
Measure-
ments.

1664.
St.
Stephen's
Green:
North side.
Rates.

eight feet; annual rent: one penny per foot, and fine of ten shillings for every twelve pence rent, as stated at p. 298:—

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Tenants.

- No. 2.—John Lovett, saddler.
 „ 3.—Hugh Kennedy, clothier.
 „ 4.—Sir George Gilbert, knight.
 „ 5.—George Surdevile, tailor.
 „ 6.—Thomas Graves, clothier.
 „ 7.—George Stoughton, merchant.
 „ 8.—John Smith, merchant.
 „ 9.—Hugh Kennedy, clothier.
 „ 10.—Peter Ward, brewer. m, 45.
 „ 11.—John Harrison, slater.
 „ 12.—John Fletcher, merchant.
 „ 13.—Enoch Reader, alderman.
 „ 14.—William Whitshed, merchant.
 „ 15.—William Harris, haberdasher.
 „ 16.—John Warren, tallow-chandler.
 „ 17.—Timothy Grollier, vintner.
 „ 18.—Joseph Stoker, goldsmith. m, 45 b.
 „ 19.—Phillipp Burges, butcher.
 „ 20.—Matthew Nulty, tailor.
 „ 21.—James Barlow, gentleman.
 „ 22.—William Drayton, baker.
 „ 23.—Thomas King, tailor.
 „ 24.—Robert Meade, malster.
 „ 25.—Sir Daniel Bellingham, knight. m, 46.
 „ 26.—Hugh Price, merchant.
 „ 27.—Edward Twells, tailor.
 „ 28.—Thomas Waterhouse, alderman.
 „ 29.—Robert Arundell, tanner.
 „ 30.—Nathaniel Fooukes, tailor.
 „ 31.—John Dutton, merchant.
 „ 32.—Richard Tygh, alderman. m, 46 b.

No. 33.¹—Grant to Robert Newcomen, gentleman.

¹ “One plott or parcell of ground on the north side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the three and thirtieth

lott of that side, containeing in length, along the way leading from the said Greene to the Colledge, one hundred,

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[Lotts on] Saint Stephen's Green : East side :

1664.
St.
Stephen's
Green :
East side.
Quine.

No. 1.—It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Marke Quine, of the city of Dublin, alderman, for and in consideration of the sume of four pounds, nineteene shillings, four pence halfe penny, sterling, as a fine, paid unto Alderman John Desmineers to and for the uses aforesaid, shall have a fee farme for ever upon one plott or parcell of ground on the east side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the first lott of that side, containeing to the square of the said Greene sixty foote, and the like number of sixty foote on the most backward parte thereof, and on the south side in length one hundred, twenty-three foote, and on the north side in length one hundred and fifteen foote and a halfe, and in the square one hundred and nineteene foote and a quarter, at the yearly rent of nine shillings, eleaven pence farthing, sterling, according to the said act of assembly.

Grants, in similar form, to the following persons : one or more plots of ground, each measuring in breadth, in front, sixty feet, and in length from one hundred and fifteen feet to five hundred and twenty five feet ; annual rent : one penny per foot, and fine of ten shillings for every twelve pence rent, as stated at p. 298 :—

No. 2.—John Burniston, esquire.

Tenants,

„ 3.—William Phillipps, brewer.

„ 4.—John Hicks, barber-surgeon.

„ 5.—Henry Woodfall, tailor.

„ 6.—Edward Briscoe, brewer.

„ 7.—John Desmynieres, alderman.

„ 8.—Elias Best, vintner.

Nos. 9—12.—Francis Brewster, merchant.

„ 13—15.—William Yeomans, gentleman.

twenty six foote, and from the point of the Greene on the east side of the next number, thirty two, fallen to Mr. Tygh, one hundred and eight foote, and on the most extreame backe parte thereof

ninety foote, and in the square fifty eight foote, at the yearly rent of fower shillings and tenn pence sterling, according to the said act of assembly."

1664.
St.
Stephen's
Green:
South side.
Sir
Daniel
Belling-
ham.

[Lotts on] St. Stephens Green: South side:

First lot.

St. Kevin's
street.

No. 1.—It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that sir Daniel Bellingham, of the citty of Dublin, knight, shall have a fee farme for ever upon one plott or pareell of ground, seittuatt, lying and being on the south side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the first lott of that side, being a triangular plott, doth not at all face to the said square of the said Greene, but containeing to the lane or way leading from the said Greene to St. Kevens streete two hundred and forty foote, and backwards from the said square of the Greene southwards a hundred and fowerteene foote; on the extreame backward parte thereof is a pareell of ground that conteynes in length on the back parte a hundred, twenty eight foote in length, and at the east end thereof thirty foote, and at the west end eighty fower foote; and the square of the said triangular plott is a hundred and twenty foote; the square of the other pareell fifty seaven foote; the whole of both in the square is a hundred, seaventy seaven foote; at the yearely rent of fowerteene shillings, nine pence, sterling, according to the said act of assembly.

Grants.

Grants to the following persons: one or more plots of ground, on the south side of Stephen's Green, each measuring in breadth in front, sixty feet,¹ and in length from one hundred and twenty to two hundred and eighty-four feet; annual rent: one half-penny per foot, and fine, as stated, at p. 298:—

Tenants,

No. 2.—John Nicholas, merchant.

„ 3.—Andrew Lloyd, merchant.

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„ 4.—Owen Jones, merchant.

„ 5.—Hugh Leeson, butcher.

„ 6.—John Preston, alderman.

Nos. 7, 8.—Josua Allen, merchant.

No. 9.—Anne Blundevile.

„ 10.—Josua Allen, alderman.

¹ With the exception of lot No. 24—see p. 305.

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- No. 11.—Richard Burne, cutler.
Nos. 12, 13.—Arthur Eccles, gentleman.
No. 14.—Warner Westenna, merchant.
„ 15.—Samuel Saltanstall, merchant.
„ 16.—Lewis Desmineers, alderman.
„ 17.—Edward Briscoe, brewer.
„ 18.—Robert Brady, tailor.
„ 19.—William Crosse, merchant.
„ 20.—Luke Lowther, cooper.
„ 21.—Richard Cooke, alderman.
„ 22.—William Devine, baker.
„ 23.—James Browne, mason.
„ 24.¹—George Putland, smith.

1664.
St.
Stephen's
Green :
South side.

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St. Stephens Green : West end :

West end.

No. 1.—It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that sir William Davys, of the city of Dublin, knight, shall have a fee farme for ever upon one plott or parcell of ground on the west end of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the first lott of that side, containing in length, from the west end of the said Greene to the highway leading from the said Greene to St. Stephens street, fower hundred and fifty foote, and from the said Greene, along the way leading to the Colledge, one hundred, seaventy and eight foote, and on the extreame backward parte thereof three hundred and fifty foote, the whole lott lying triangular, the square of which is one hundred, fifty and seaven foote, att the yearelie rent of thirteene shillings and one penny sterling, according to the said act of assembly.

Sir
William
Davys.

First lot.

College

Grants, in similar form, to the following persons : one or more plots of ground, each measuring in breadth, in

Grants:

¹ "One plott or parcell of ground on the south side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the fower and twentieth lott of that side, containeing to the way leading to Dunabrooke one hundred twenty eight foote, and backward from the said way unto the outmost parte of

the common, one hundred and twenty foote, and being a tryanguler plott and being in the square sixty fower foote, att the yearely rent of two shillings and eight pence, sterling, according to the said act of assembly."

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Stephen's
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front, sixty feet¹, and in length from one hundred and twenty feet to three hundred and fifty-two feet; annual rent: one penny per foot, and fine, as stated at p. 298:—

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Tenants.

No. 2.—Francis Brewster, merchant.

„ 3.—William Yeomans, gentleman.

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Nos. 4, 5.—Joshua Allen, merchant.

No. 6.—Richard Brooking, barber.

„ 7.—William Thurgood, chandler.

„ 8.—John Betson, merchant.

„ 9.—William Anderson, joiner.

„ 10.—Oliver Welch, gentleman.

„ 11.—Christopher Johnston, gentleman.

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„ 12.—Richard Lord, goldsmith.

„ 13.—John Sargeant, merchant.

„ 14.—Christopher Elliston, clothier.

„ 15.—Thomas Sharpe, baker.

„ 16.—George Hulett, vintner.

„ 17.—John Cranwell, alderman.

„ 18.—John Nicholls, merchant.

Memorandum: That notwithstanding the deed for the

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Lot.

Nicholas.

Drawing.

Totty.

second lott of the south side of Saint Stephens Greene be given out unto captain John Nicholas and enrolled in his name, yet, before the perfection of this record, it is declared that the said lott was drawn in the name of Alderman John Totty, and for his use, and not at all to the use of the said captain Nicholas.

Letter of
attorney
from
Mayor,
Sheriffs,
etc.

To all Christian people to whome theis presents shall come, William Smith, of the citty of Dublin, esquire, Maior of the said citty, Thomas Kirkham and William Brookes, Sheriffs of the said citty, the commons and

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¹ With the exception of lot No. 18, as follows:

“One plott or parcell of ground on the west side of Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, being the eighteenth lott on that side, containeing to the front or square of the said Greene twenty eight foote, and in length, along the way leading to Saint Caven streete, two

hundred and ten foote, and on the north parte thereof, in length to the most extreame backward parte, one hundred, fifty seven foote, and in the square one hundred, eighty three foote and a halfe, at the yearly rent of fifteene shillings, three pence halfe penny, sterling, according to the said act of assembly.”

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cittizens of the said citty send greeting in our Lord God 1664.
 everlasting: Know you that wee, the aforesaid Maior, St.
 Sheriffs, commons and cittizens of the said citty have Stephen's
 made, ordained, constituted and in our place put our Green.
 loveing friends, sir William Usher and sir William Appoint-
 Dixon, of the citty of Dublin, knights, and Thomas Usher.
 Maule, of the said citty, esquire, our lawfull attorneyes Dixon.
 joyntly and severally for us and in our stead and names, Maule.
 and to our use, to enter into all and singular the severall
 plotts and parcells of grounds seituate, lycing and being
 in Saint Stephens Greene, Dublin, which said severall
 plotts and parcells of ground are given in fee farme
 respectively according to their severall and respective
 lotts unto the persons hereafter¹ named, and in the name Lots.
 of all and singular the said severall and respective plotts
 or parcells of ground full and peaceable possession and Possession.
 seisin for us and in our stead and name to the severall
 and respective hereafter named persons, or to his or their
 attorney or attorneyes in this behalfe appoynted to deliver
 according to the tenor, force and effect of their said
 severall and respective deeds of the premises respectively, Deeds.
 ratifying and by theise presents confirming all and what-
 soever our said attorneyes joyntly or severally shall
 lawfully doe in the premisses. In wittnesse whereof the
 said Maior, Sheriffs, commons and cittizens have here-
 unto put their common seale this second day of Common
 September, in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand seal.
 six hundred, sixty and foure.

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1664, September 14.

Whereas certaine of the commons preferred their
 petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas
 this citty had beene under many and greate sufferings by City.
 reason of the severall calamities of warrs, pestilence and Calamities.
 famine, togeather with oppressions of the usurpers for Usurpers.
 the space of about twenty yeares now last past, whereby

¹ See pp. 302-306.

1664. Impover- ishment. Revenue.	the citty hath bin soe impoverished, and the revenue thereof soe exhausted, as that there is not sufficient to support and maintaine the dignity and safety of this citty in such manner as is necessary and becoming ; and forasmuch as by the greate indulgence and love of	Roll xiv. m. 50.
Duke of Ormonde.	his grace, the lord duke of Ormonde, now lord lieutenant of Ireland, to this citty, many eminent graces and favors	
Charles II.	have bin granted by his majestie for the good of this citty, some whereof the petitioners had not had any benefitt of, by reason of those weighty affaires which have interposed the chiefe governor and counsell of this kingdome. But his grace, being att court with his majestie, and the petitioners haveing had such experiences of his graces good will towards this citty, did think it a	
Suit. Applica- tion. Addition to revenue.	fitting opportunity and season to make further suite and application that some new supply in addition to their present revenue might be by his sacred majestie conferred upon this citty out of the forfeited lands in this his majesties kingdome, or otherwise, as to his majestie on the representation by his lieutenant of the	
Condition of Dublin.	low condition of this citty shall seeme good. The said commons therefore praied the said assembly that by an order thereof some able and fitt person as an	
Agent.	agent might be employed to carry to his majestie the humble desires of this citty, to be set forth in a petition, wherein by letter from the citty the lord lieutenant might be prevailed with to offer the same to his majestie, that the petitioners desires might be promoted, and that such allowance for the said agent might be granted and levyyed on this citty in these particulers following : first, that a clause be drawn by counsell to be inserted in	
Bill of Settlement. Forfeited lands.	the bill of settlement that his majestie may be gratusly pleased, out of such lands in Ireland forfeited by the rebellion as are in his majesties dispose, to conferr such addition to the revenue of this citty as his majestie shall thinke fitt ; secondly, that the citty of Dublin and the severall corporations therein may be included in the act	
Dublin. Corpora- tions.		

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of indempnity; thirdly, that the agent heerafter named doe take care and supplicate his majestie to prevent any clause in any act that may give liberty for the disposing of any of the citty lands to any person without the consent of the citty, and that noe bridge may be built over the river Analiffee belowe the antient bridge of the citty; fourthly, that the charters of the citty, with all the priviledges and immunities formerly granted unto the same by his majestie and his royall predecessors, and all customes by the said citty formerly used, may be confirmed; fifthly, that the citty of Dublin may be exempted from the act of bringing in forreighners, intituled an act for encourageing Protestant straingers and others to inhabitt and plant in the kingdome of Ireland; sixthly, that the instructions of [the] agent may be drawn upp by the advice of sir William Domvile, knight, and that the agent be sir Richard Kennedy, knight, and that captaine Robert Lock be solicitor, and that application be made unto the lord [lieutenant] by the Maior and aldermen to acquaint his excellency of their intentions of sending an agent to his [majestie]; seaventhly, that such arrerages of rent due to his majestie from this citty may be remitted, and [that for as] long time as his majestie shall think fitt the accreueing rents for the time to come may be alsoe [remitted] or reduced; lastly, that the money to be raised for the carrying on of this worke be the sume of two hundred pounds, sterling, and that one hundred pounds thereof be levyed on the severall corporations of this citty, and the other hundred pounds to be paid by the treasurer of the citty. And it is further ordered and agreed upon, by the authority afore-said, that the treasurer of this citty be and is heerby required forthwith to advance the sume of one hundred pounds, sterling, accordingly to the uses above mencioned, and that the same committee whose names are heer-

1664.
Indemnity.

City
lands.

Bridge.

Liffey.

Charters.

Privileges.

Customs.

Exemption.

Instruc-
tions.

Domvile.

Kennedy.

Lock.

Agent.

Arrears
of rents.

Money.

Corpora-
tions.

Committee.

¹ See page 249.

1664. under written or any seaven of them, whereof the Maier and one of the Sherriffs to be alwaies two, be and are heerby authorized to applott the other sune of one hundred pounds, sterling, on the severall corporations of this eitty, and that the Maier for the time being doe yssue his warrants to the masters and wardens of the severall corporations of this cittie for the assessing and levying of the said one hundred pounds soe to be applotted, and that the same be paid unto the hands of Mr. Riehard Lord, goldsmith, subtreasurer of this eitty; and that the Maier, for the time being, doe yssue his warrants to the treasurer of the citty to pay the other hundred pounds into the hands of the said Richard Lord; and that the said one hundred pounds soe to be applotted and levyed as aforesaid, and the other hundred pounds to be paid out of the treasury, be disposed of by the said committee or any seaven of them as aforesaid, for the uses above mentioned, according as they shall thinck fitt. And it is further ordered that the said eommittee doe eonsider of what is fitt to be drawn upp in order to the earrying on of the aforesaid workes; and that Alderman Quine and Riehard Palfry doe attend sir William Domvile, knight, or other counsell as the eommittee shall approve for the drawing upp the desires of the citty, to be sent unto his majestie in suelh manner as is desired; and that the said eommittee be and is heerby required and authorized to send unto the said agent and sollieitor for suelh further instructions as shalbe nees-sary for the said worke, and to reeeive and peruse such letters and papers as shalbe sent eoneerneing the same, and to communicate unto the assemblies as they shall

Applot-
ment.

Assess-
ment.

Lord,
sub-
treasurer.

Quine.
Palfry.
Domvile.

Committee. see eause. The committee appointed for the aforesaid workes are the Mayor, for the time being, the Sheriffs, Alderman Thomas Waterhouse, Alderman Marke Quine, Alderman Tottie and Alderman Forrest, and eight of the commons, that is to say, Mr. Riehard Palfry, Mr. Nathaniell Fooukes, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. Samuell

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m. 50 b. Saltenstall, Mr. Elias Best, Mr. Christopher Bennett, 1664.
Mr. Robert Meade and Mr. John Sargeant.

m. 51. 1664, Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: William Smyth,¹ esquire; Sheriffs: Joshua Mayor.
Allen and Francis Brewster. Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] John Cranwell, alderman, is chosen thresurer of Treasurer.
the city of Dublin, for the next ensuing yeare.

[2.] Mr. Thomas Kirkeham and Mr. William Brookes, Masters of
are chosen masters of the citty workes for the said yeare. works.

[3.] Mr. Maior, the Aldermen, the Sheriffes the masters Auditors.
of the Yeild,² Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes,
Mr. Christopher Lovett, Mr. George Surdevile, or any
six of them, are chosen auditors of this citty of Dublin
for this yeare, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes
to be alwaies two.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
the said assembly, shewing that they doe take notice
that the meanest of their late officers, the skavinger,
William Harvy, hath soe little esteeme to the authority Harvy,
of the said assembly that hee assumes a power to himselve scavenger.
to receive the toll of the markett for theise two yeares Toll of
past, without any application made to the said assembly market.
or the authority thereof; the petitioners therefore humbly
praied the said assembly that the said toll might be farmed
for the best advantage of the citty, for that the inhabi-
tantes of the said citty doe cleane the citty streetes and Cleansing.
the suburbs thereof at their owne charge, and that a Streets.
committee may be appointed for the management thereof Suburbs.
to the end aforesaid, and that the said William Harvy Committee.
whoe hath received the same be required forthwith to
accompt therefor to the said committee, to the end it
may be paid into the thresury or any other persons whoe

¹ Usually written—"Smith," on these
rolls, except in the autograph signa-
tures, which are—"William Smyth,

Maior, Dublin."

² Guild of merchants, Dublin.

1664. are impowred to receive such accompt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the premisses in the petition mentioned be referred to the Maior, Sheriffes, Alderman John Cranwell, Alderman John Forrest, Alderman Lewis Desmineers and six of the commons, to be named by the commons, or any five of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sheriffes to be alwaies two, whoe are to consider of the premisses, and are heerby impowred to dispose of the said toll to such person or persons, and upon such termes as they in their discretions shall think fitt, the same to be for the benefitt of the citty, soe as
 Limitation. the said disposition doth not exceed the terme of twelve months from Michaelmas last, and the said committee or any five of them as aforesaid are heerby impowred to summon Mr. Harvy before them, and to take his accompts for the said toll, and the said committee are to give the said William Harvy a discharge upon the said accompt, which said discharge shalbe sufficient to the said Harvy, the said Harvy being allowed on his accomptes all such sune or sumes of money as by the said Harvy hath bin disbursed for the use of the said citty, and
 Mayor. likewise from thenceforth there be allowed to the Maior
 Allowance. for the time being all such allowances as heertofore have beene allowed to the Maior for and out of the said toll.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing
 Committee. that the committee appointed by act¹ of assembly beareing date the tenth day of December, 1663, for the
 Water in city. ordering and regulateing of the affaires of the pipe water in this citty, have, in obedience to the said act and pursuant to the proposalls agreed on by the same assembly, many times met and consulted about the same affaire, and doe find that the said pipe water will yeild a
 Revenue. considerable revenue to the citty, and forasmuch as Mr.

¹ See page 277.

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Richard Lord, by his accompt, hath already paid one ^{1664.}
hundred, eighty nine pounds, fouer shillings for lead and ^{Lord.}
other contingent charges out of the money by him
received, which lead is intended with future help to ^{Lead.}
make up and lay a new pipe for the better advantage of ^{New pipe.}
the citty, the which accompt, together with all the
orders and proceedings of the said committee, are to be
produced; and forasmuch as the future management of
the said affaire is of greate concernment to this citty,
the said commons therefore humbly praied the said
assembly to inpower the said committee to proceed and
goe on in the said affaire according to the rule laid downe
by the said act, or otherwise to nominate some other
persons to be a committee for ordering thereof from time
to time for the best advantage of the citty: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
that the said committee heertofore appointed doe con-
tinue a committee untill Michaelmas next, and to proceed
according to the directions heertofore given and made in
the case, and such further orders as shalbe given heer-
after by the assembly of the citty, and that the present
agent, Mr. Lord, be continued in his inplyment in that
affaire, and doe observe the orders of the said committee
during their being a committee.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that
the streetes of the citty of Dublin are soe exceeding foule ^{Streets.}
and durty for want of constant sweepeing and cleanseing, ^{Sweeping.}
that it prooves very noisome and prejudiciall unto the
citty, and not like to be remedied unles some course be
laid downe in this assembly for redresse thereof; the
said commons therefore humbly praied the said assembly
that a course may be laid downe in this assembly for the
cleaneing of the streetes of this citty, and that from time ^{Cleaning.}
to time the same may be swept and kept cleane for the
future: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that the Maior of the citty for the

1664.	time being be impowered to imploy two severall persons	Roll xiv. m. 51.
Doors.	for the cleanseing and sweepeing of the streets of the citty before the doores of the severall inhabitants of this	
Sweeping.	citty, which said streetes are to be swept constantly	m. 51. b.
Days.	every Thursday and Munday morneing, and that the severall inhabitants be required to sweepe before their respective doores on every Wednesday and Saturday in the evening; and that such of the inhabitants as shall refuse or neglect soe to doe, be liable to the payment of sixpence, sterling, to the said sweepers, the said sweepers first causing the severall doores to be swept; and that Mr. Maior have a power from this assembly to distraine on such inhabitants as shall deny to pay the same on their refusall or neglect	
Neglect.	aforesaid. It is further ordered that severall hornes be	
Penalty.	provided for the severall skavingers of this citty, whce are heerby required to wind the said hornes halfe an howre before the said skavingers come to sweepe the said streetes, to the end that the said inhabitants may have timely notiee to bring out the durt of their severall howses to throwe into the earts of the severall skavingers,	
Horns.	the said inhabitants paying the skavingers for carrying the same away.	
Scavengers.		
Payment.		

[7.] Whereas alsoe the master and wardens of the corporation of smiths petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the petitioners have beene for theise twelve months last past and upwards deprived of their hall att Ormonde Gate, and are compelled to take another roome elsewhere for the use of their corporacion; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that they may be freed and discharged of any rent for the same, untill they may be permitted to hold and enjoy the possession thereof as formerly: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority aforesaid, that for the reasons in the petition mentioned, that there be a respite of the said rent till the said hall be restored to the possession of the petitioners.

Corpora-
tion of
smiths.

Ormonde
Gate.

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m. 51 b.

[8.] Whereas alsoe Elizabeth Bollard, widdow, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that her late husband, Henry Bollard, deceased, did, in May, 1655,¹ furnish a banquet att the Tholsell in the said citty, for which there remained due to him the sume of eighty two pounds, and being unpaid there was an act of assembly² past in the yeare of our Lord 1657, that there should be paid eight pounds interest, paid yearly untill the principall were satisfied ; now, soe it is that the petitioners said husband in his lifetime, or the petitioner since his death, did not receive any parte of the principall or the interest untill the seaven and twentieth of March, 1663, att which time the petitioner was paid ninety pounds by Alderman Hatefeild, then thresurer of the said citty, for interest and parte of the principall ; and the petitioner doth now compute fifty pounds of the principall to be yet due ; and whereas the petitioner's husband was constrained to borrow one hundred pounds for which hee with others were bound in a statute staple, and the said Henry Bollard, in his lifetime, and the petitioner, since his death, have paid interest att tenn pounds per centum for the same, because the citty did not pay off the said debt, to supply their occasions, which hath beene much to their damage and which might have beene prevented if their due had bin paid ; the premisses considered, as alsoe the trouble and losses that the petitioner hath sustained since her husband's decease, the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to give an order in this assembly to the thresurer of the citty forthwith to satisfie the petitioner the said fifty pounds of the principall without any delay, and to doe further for her as to the said assembly should seeme fitt : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the auditors of the citty doe state the petitioners account, and that Mr. Maior be heerby

1664.
Bollard.

Banquet.

Interest.

¹ 1656—see page 92.

² See page 115.

1664. required, upon their report, to give a warrant to the thresurer to make payment of what shall appeare to be justly due unto the petitioner. Roll xiv.
m. 51 b.

Edward
Harris.

[9.] Whereas alsoe Edward Harris, goldsmith, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that hee hath made severall humble applications to the citty for satisfaction of fowerteene poundes disbursed by him

Fireworks.
Duke of
Ormonde.

about the fireworkes made and provided upon his grace the duke of Ormondes comeing to this citty, togeather with some reasonable consideration for his paines and losse of time in the doeing thereof, but as hitherto had not obtained any order for the payment thereof, to his very greate damage in wanting the use of his money in the way of his calleing towardses the maintenace and support of his family, that, in regard the petitioner hath bin out of his money soe long, and hath alwaies, upon oecasions offered, shewed his affection and service to the citty, the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly that hee may not be further delayed in his satisfaction: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the thresurer of the citty doe pay unto the petitioner the said fowerteene pounds on Mr. Maior's warrant.

Smith.

Ash.

Trumpeter.

[10.] Whereas alsoe Francis Smith petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that Thomas Ash, late trumpetter to this honorable citty, being now deceased, and that place of trumpetter to the citty by reason of the said Thomas Ash his death is now vacuat; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to admitt him into the said place of trumpeter to the citty, and to grant unto him the perquisittes and profittes belonging thereunto, as others in the said place have heertofore had and enjoyed: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner doe hold the said place of trumpetter to the citty dureing the pleasure of the citty, and to enjoy the fees and perquisittes to the said place belonging.

Grant.

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m. 51 b.

[11.] Whereas alsoe William Devin, of the citty of Dublin, baker, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that his lott on Saint Stephens Greene, being the two and twentieth lott of the south side of the said Greene, is mentioned in his grant and the deed thereof to be two hundred and eighty foote in the square, and it appears by the certificate from captaine Robert Newcomen to be one hundred, eighty and one foote; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to give order for the amendment of the parties grant of the said lott and the deed thereof, according to the said certificate, and that the rent for the same and the fine may be proportioned accordingly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the grant of the said lott and the deed thereof be amended according to the said certificate, and the rent for the same and the fine thereof be proportioned accordingly att the charge of the petitioner, hee surrendering his former deed.

1664.
William
Devin.
St.
Stephen's
Green.

Robert
Newcomen.

Amend-
ment.

m. 52.

[12.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Robert Beater, of the citty of Dublin, cooke, shall have a lease for ninety nine yeares, commencing from Easter next, upon one peece of wast ground betweene the Read Mills and Christchurch medow, containeing in length from north to south fower-teene pearches and a halfe, and in breadth at the south end thereof two pearches and tenn foote, and att the north end fower pearches, att the yearely rent of nine pounds, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, over and above all charges, contributions, taxes and incumbrances whatsoever, and a couple of fatt capons att Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in liew thereof; with such other clauses and covenants to be inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt.

Robert
Beater.

Mills-
Christ
church
medow.

[13.] Whereas alsoe Richard Bilsby, porter to Mr.

Bilsby,
porter to
Mayor.

1664.	Maior, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that for his attendance as porter unto the right worshippingfull the Maior of this honorable citty [he] hath only the sune of forty shillings, sterling, or a gowne cloath, allowed him yearly by the citty for his said service; and forasmuch as the petitioner is now growne aged, and yet willing to serve this honorable citty and the Maior for the time being to the best of his ability in the said capacity, the petitioner thereby humbly praied the said assembly to grant him such an augmentation of yearely sallery as the said assembly should thincke fitt for his more comfortable subsistance: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that	Roll xiv. m. 52.
Gown cloth.	the petitioner be allowed the summe of fower pounds, besides the allowance for his gowne, per annum, for his said service; the same to be paid by the thresurer of the citty for the time being, and that the petitioners acquittance for the same shalbe a sufficient discharge to the thresurer.	
Service.		
Allowances		
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise.	m. 52 b.

1664, December 2.

m. 53.

	Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that whereas there hath beene a draught of a provisoe sent by this citty inclosed in a letter to sir Richard Kennedy, ¹ knight, to be offerred to his grace, the lord duke of Ormonde, to be inserted in the bill now under his majesties consideration for the settlement of Ireland, tending to the further good of this citty of Dublin, which att the departure of the said sir Richard Kennedy from London was by him putt into the hands of sir George Lane, ² knight, and whereas the said sir George Lane in answer thereunto hath signified by letter unto the citty that he hath communicated the same unto his grace,	
Sir Richard Kennedy.		
Duke of Ormonde.		
Settlement of Ireland.		
Sir George Lane.		

¹ Baron of exchequer, Ireland.² Secretary of State, Ireland.

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whoe was pleased on sight thereof to express his con- 1664.
stant readlines on all occasions to promote what may
tend to the happynes and advantage of this citty, and
did alsoe conceive that it would very much facilitate the
effecting of what may be justly and reasonably desired
by this citty, if application were made first to the lord ^{Lord}
deputy¹ and councell heere, and their recommendation ^{Deputy.}
obtained of such a provisoe as shall upon mature delibe- ^{Council.}
ration be thought fitt by their lordshipps to be recom-
mended and humbly offered to his majesties gracious ^{Charles II.}
consideration in behalfe of this citty; and therefore the
petitioners humbly praied the said assembly that an
order may be made to impower a committee to make
their humble addresses in behalfe of this citty to his
excellency and councell heere touching the said affaires
in the petition mentioned, for the better furtherance of ^{Petition}
the said worke: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, ^{from}
by the authority of the said assembly, that the former ^{Dublin.}
committee appointed by act of assembly of the fower- ^{Committee}
teenth of September last, or any five of them, whereof
the Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two,
be and are heerby further authorized and impowred
to make their application unto his excellency, the lord
deputy and councell heere concerneing the affaires in
the said petition mentioned; and that such a provisoe
may be prepared as by their lordshipps shalbe thought
fitt to be humbly offered to his majestie to be most
advantageous for the benefitt and good of this citty; and
further to act and doe therein whatsoever the said com-
mittee shall thincke fitt to be necessary for the benefitt
and advantage of this citty; and that the said committee
be and are heerby further impowred to nominate and
elect an agent such as they shall approve of to sollicite ^{Agent}
the councell board and agitate the said buisines as shalbe ^{Council}
necessary. ^{board.}

[2.] Whereas likewise the said commons petitioned

¹ Thomas Butler, earl of Ossory, son of Duke of Ormonde.

1664. likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas Roll xiv. m. 52.
 Sir Richard Kennedy, knight, was desired by act of
 assembly of this citty, made the fowerteenth day of
 September last, to be as an agent to present the humble
 desires of this citty unto his sacred majestic, wherein the
 said sir Richard Kennedy hath beene very solicitous to
 promote whatsoever might be for the advantage of this
 citty, and whereas the committee appointed by act of
 assembly for the said affaire have thought fitt to trans-
 mitt the sune of one hundred pounds to the said
 sir Richard to be expended in the said affaire, wherein
 hee hath beene att greate charge and paines himselfe,
 and at his departure from London left the said buisines
 and the remainder of the money undisbursed in the
 hands and care of sir George Lane, knight; now, foras-
 much as the said sir Richard Kennedy hath taken
 extraordinary paines and care in the premisses, and hath
 given relation unto the said committee of a reference
 from his majestic to his grace the lord leiftenant of
 Ireland, and hath bin very diligent in the furtherance
 of the said affaire; that, notwithstanding his departure
 from London, yet the petitioners doe humbly thinck
 it necessary that some gratuity be presented unto the
 said sir Richard Kennedy in remembrance of the cittyes
 thanckfullnes for his solicitation in the behalfe of this
 citty, and therefore the said commons humbly praied the
 said assembly that such a gratuity may be bestowed on
 the said sir Richard Kennedy as the said assembly should
 thinck fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
 the authority aforesaid, that Alderman Marke Quine,
 Alderman John Tottie, and Mr. Richard Palfrey doe
 attend the said sir Richard Kennedy to give the said
 sir Richard Kennedy thancks in the behalfe of this citty
 for his paines and care about the citty affaires, and that
 they present unto the said sir Richard Kennedy a peece
 of plate to the value of fifty pounds, sterling, and the
 receipte of the committee, heertofore appointed for the

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said worke, of the said sune be a sufficient dischargd 1664.
unto Mr. Richard Lord to have the said sune allowed Lord.
him upon his accompt, and that the citty armes be City arms.
ingraven upon the said plate. Engraving.

m. 54.

1664-5. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1664.

1664-5.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing
that whereas it was ordered by an act of Easter assembly
last, grounded on a letter from his majestie to this citty,
that sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, whose place it was Sir Daniel
by succession to be Maior of this citty for this yeare, Bellingham.
might be dispenced withall for that time from serving
as Maior of this citty, and whereas alsoe the petitioners, Mayoralty.
knowing it might be very prejudiciall to the succeeding Succession.
Maiors of this citty if any person should be elected into
that office before their turnes, have thought fitt to elect
Alderman William Smith to undertake the office of William
Maioralty for this yeare alsoe; and now, forasmuch as Smith.
the said Alderman William Smith is in the said office of
Maioralty pursuant to the said election, and was un-
expectedly called thereunto, by reasons whereof that the
petitioners have imposed upon him the trouble of under-
taking that office for two yeares together, which must
needs be very burthensome unto him, and will require a
greater allowance from the citty for the support of the
dignity of his office then is usually given, the petitioners
therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to take the
premisses into serious consideration, and that such
allowance may be given unto the said William Smith as
the necessity of his undertakeing of the said office for
this yeare, and the greate charge he is like to be at in the Charge.
support of the same, doth necessarilie require: the Supporta-
premisses of the petition being taken into the serious tion.
consideration of the said assembly, it is therefore ordered
and agreed upon, by authority of the said assembly, that
his worshipp, Mr. Maior, shall have an allowance of four

1664-5.
Allowance
for service
of Mayor-
alty.

hundred pounds for his service of Maioralty for this year; the same to be paid to Mr. Maior by the treasurer of the citty for the time being, and that Mr. Maiors acquittance for the same shalbe a sufficient discharge to the said treasurer.

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Richard
Lord.

Agency for
city.

Corpora-
tions.

Arrears.

Raising of
money.

Assess-
ment.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by act of assembly of the fourteenth day of September last it was ordered that the summe of two hundred pounds, sterling, should be advanced by this citty and paid into the hands of Mr. Richard Lord, goldsmith, to be disposed of by order of the committee appointed by the said act of assembly for the carrying on the affaires of the agency in representeing the humble desires of this citty unto his sacred majestie, of which said summe there was one hundred pounds, sterling, paid out of the thresury of this citty, and the other one hundred pounds, sterling, ordered by the said act to be levyed on the severall corporations of this citty; and whereas the said Richard Lord hath expended, by order of the said committee, more then the said sume of two hundred pounds, and some of the corporations of this citty are yet in arreare their proportions of the said moneyes assessed on them, as by the account of the said Richard Lord may appeare; the premisses considered, and forasmuch as there is greate necessity for a further supply of moneys for carrying on the said affaire, which tends soe much to the benefitt and advantage of this citty, and for that busines is now before his excellency the lord deputy and councell here, and is like to proove successfull for the publique good of this citty; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that an order may be made by the said assembly for raising of more moneyes for carrying on the said worke, and that the severall corporations yet in arreare their proportions of the said one hundred pounds formerly assessed on them may be compelled to

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pay the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, 1664-5.
by the authority aforesaid, that the committee of the Committee.
agency, or any seaven of them, whereof the Maior and
one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two of the said
committee, be and are heerby authorized indifferently
to applott the sume of one hundred pounds on the Applot-
ment.
severall corporations, and alsoe on other the freemen of Freemen.
this citty, at the discrecion of the said committee, the
said sume of one hundred pounds to be paid within tenn
daies after the said applottment, and that the Maior for
the time being doe yssue his warrants to the masters and Masters.
wardens of the said severall corporations and to the Wardens.
other freemen on whome the said moneys is to be pro-
portionably applotted, as aforesaid, for the assessing and
levyeing of the said one hundred pounds soe to bee
applotted, and that the same be paid into the hands of
Mr. Richard Lord, goldsmith, and that the same one
hundred pounds soe to be applotted and levyed as
aforesaid be disposed of by the said committee or any
seaven of them, as aforesaid, to the ends and purposes
for which the said former two hundred pounds was
before levied.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons peti-
tioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that
such parte of Oxmantowne Greene, which lieth betweene Oxman-
town
Green.
Youngs Castle and Stoney Bater, leaveing a sufficient
roade, and likewise betweene Stoney Bater and the Stoney
Bater.
Bowleing Greene walle, and soe leading towardes Hang-
mans lane, and adjoyning to the land lately granted to
the lord Massareene, which at present yeeldes the citty Lord
Massa-
reene.
noe proffitt, may be disposed for the advantage and
increase of the citty revenue to the freemen of this citty, Revenue
as the assembly should direct: it is therefore ordered
and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said
Greene be and is heerby devided into ninety six propor- Division.
tions, leaveing a convenient highway and a large market Highway.
Market
place.
place, as in the said survey and mapp of the same now Survey.

1664-5.	presented to the Maior and table of aldermen is set	Roll xiv. m. 51.
Proportions.	forth, and that every proportion doe containe soe many	
Map.	foote, as in the said mapp and survey is mentioned ; and	
	that the Maior, recorder, aldermen and commons, and the	
Drawing of lots.	surveyor be the persons to drawe the said lotts now	
	prepared, and that the persons to whome such lotts	
Conveyances.	shalbe granted have a conveyance made of the same	
	unto them and their heires respectively for ever, and	
	that every person, their heires and assignes, whoe shall	
Fines.	have a lott shall pay forty shillings fine and twenty	
Rents.	shillings rent for ever to the thresurer of the citty, for	
	the use of the said citty, and that the said fine shalbe	
	disposed of as is advised by the said committee appointed	
	for the survey of the said Greene, and that the two lotts	
Exceptions. School-house.	of 87 and 88 in the said mapp be excepted for a schoole-	
	house, and that there be a foote path of eight foote wide,	
	to be taken out of the said two lotts ; and in case there	
	be noe sufficient number of lotts, that then there shalbe	
Blanks. Deficiencies.	soe many blanks added as there shalbe deficiencies, and	
	that besides the persons above mentioned the lord cheife	
Chief Baron.	barron ¹ (haveing desired the same) may have liberty, by	
	himselfe or his freind, to draw a lotte, and that the	
Committee of Survey.	committee of survey of the said Greene shall have	
	liberty of drawing before any blancks be putt amongst	
	the said lotts.	

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by order of the said assembly there have been severall parcellls of Oxmantowne Greene sett out to be granted in fee farme for the increase of the revenue of this citty, and for that the same have beene drawne by lott, pursuant to the said order ; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that an order may be made in this present assembly for a sett time to be lymitted and appointed for the stakeing out of the said lotts and perfecting the deeds for the same, and that the

¹ John Bysse, see p. 252.

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land for his grace the lord lieutenant may be at the same ^{1664-5.}
time staked out and a conveyance made of the same ^{Lord}
accordingly: it is therefore resolved and agreed upon, ^{Lieutenant}
by the authority of the said assembly, that Tuesday, the ^{Convey-}
last day of January instant, be and is hereby appointed ^{ance.}
the day for stakeing out the severall lotts drawn for the ^{Appoint-}
said parcells of ground, and that all persons concerned ^{ment,}
may attend there accordingly at nine of the clock in the ^{Day.}
morning of the said day, and that the committee formerly ^{Hour.}
appointed for setting out the said lotts are to be then ^{Committee.}
present; and it is likewise ordered that Mr. Recorder be ^{Recorder.}
desired to prepare a rough draught of a deed for the
passing the said lotts, soe as the said deeds may be ^{Deeds.}
readdy for the seale by the third day of March next,
which is the day appointed for the perfecting the said
deeds, whereof all persons concerned are to take notice;
and that all such persons as have drawn lotts are to
repaire to Alderman John Desmineeres and pay their ^{Payment.}
severall fines for the said lotts by the first day of March ^{Fines.}
aforesaid; which said Alderman John Desmineeres is
heerby authorized and appointed to receive the said
fines and dispose of the same by order of the said com-
mittee or any five of them, whereof the Maior and one
of the Sheriffes to be alwaies two; and at the time the
said severall lotts are to be staked out, the said parcell
of land to be graunted to his grace the lord lieutenant
be sett out and staked by the said committee. And it is
further ordered, by the authority aforesaid, that the
citty seale shalbe affixed to the severall deeds gratis, and ^{City}
the charge of the engrossing the said deeds and stakeing ^{seal.}
the said Greene be the same as was appointed in the act¹
of assembly for the lotts on Saint Stephens Greene, to
be equally borne by every particuler proprietor of every
respective lott.

[5.] Whereas alsoe Thomas Chabiner, swordbearer, ^{Chabiner,}
petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that ^{sword-}
^{bearer.}

¹ See p. 298.

1664-5.
Oxman-
town
Green.

St.
Stephen's
Green.

Drawing
of lots.

hee, understanding that Oxmantowne Greene is to be lett by lotts, as Saint Stephens Greene was, and by reason hee was not one of the numbers of this citty, hee had not admission of drawing any lott of Saint Stephens Greene ; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to admitt him to the drawing of a lott of Oxmantowne Greene, and to have as free admission of drawing the same as one of the numbers of this citty have : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be admitted to the drawing of a lott of the said Oxmantowne Greene, and have as free admission of drawing the same as one of the numbers of this citty hath.

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Amos
Ogden.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Amos Ogden, gentleman, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that hee hath for long time beene servieeable in his capacity to the Maiors of this citty successively, and alwaies diligent and painfull for the publique good of this honorable citty to the best of his power ; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to admitt him the privilidge of drawing one lott for such ground as is to be lett and sett upon Oxmantowne Greene, and that he may enjoy the benefitt of such lott as shalbe by him drawn : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be admitted the priviledge of drawing one lott of such ground as is to be lett and sett upon Oxmantowne Greene, and have the benefitt of such lott as shalbe by him drawn.

Oxman-
town
Green.

Lot.

Fletcher.

Free school.

School
house.

Chimney.

Children.

[7.] Whereas alsoe Francis Fleteher, master of a Free schoole, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there is a faire large roome in the seecolehouse, over the scoole, without a chimney, which the petitioner conceiveth that if there were one made it would not only be very convenient and usefull to himselfe at present, but likewise to his suceessors, and all tender ehildren, which frequently make their adresse in cold weather to a strait

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little kitchen, scarce suitable to his owne family; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to take the premisses into consideration and to give order for the viewing and effecting of the same, which hee supposeth will not be very chargeable: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the masters of the workes doe take a view of the said howse, and if they finde it necessary to cause a chimney to be built, and the charge thereof is to be paid by the treasurer by warrant from Mr. Maior, provided it exceed not tenn pounds.

1664-5.
Kitchen.

Masters
of works

[8.] Whereas alsoe Elizabeth Chamberlin petitioned likewise unto the said assemblie, shewing that shee doth dayly, from day to day and from time to time, cleanse and make clean the Tholsell and New hall in this citty, and upon all occasions give her attendance for the service of the citty in makeing of fires at the said places, and hath beene at some charges and expences in buying of wood and furs for kindling of them; and forasmuch as the petitioner hath noe established allowance or certaine sallary for her paines and attendance; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to allow her a certaine stipend, and alsoe for the time past to grant her the benevolence of the said assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be allowed fouer pounds a yeare for her service, and to be paid quarterly by the thresurer of the citty upon Mr. Maiors warrant.

Chamberlin.

Tholsel.
New hall.

Fires.

Wood.
Furze.

[9.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by authority of the said assembly, that George Surdevile, taylor, for and in consideration of the sune of seaven pounds, thirteene shillings and nine pence, sterling, as a fine paid unto Alderman John Desmineeres, to and for such uses as by an act of assembly of the said citty, beareing date the nine and twentieth day of July, in the yeare of our Lord God, 1664, is lymitted and appointed, shall

Surdevile.

John
Desmi-
neeres.

1664-5. St. Stephen's Greene, east. Dona- brooke.	have a fee farme for ever of one parcell of wast ground on the east end of Saint Stephens Greene next to Dona- brooke way, faecing to the square of the said Greene, containing to the square fifty nine foote, and in length backward one hundred and sixteene foote, both sides alike, and in breadth backward equall with the front; and one other parell on the west end of the said Greene, betweene the seaventeenth and eighteenth lotts of the said west end to the front or square of the said Greene, twenty eight foote, and in length backward on each side one hundred and thirty seaven foote, and in breadth in the most backward parte twenty eight foote, att the yearely rent of fifteene shillings, fower pence halfe penny, sterling; with such other eonditions, eovenants, clauses and reservations to be incerted in the deeds as in the other former deeds of fee farme of the said Greene are mentioned and expressed.	Roll xiv. m. 54 b.
Rent.		
Conditions.		
Deeds.		
William Harvy.	[10.] Whereas alsoe William Harvy, of the eitty of Dublin, skavinger, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas hee hath some yeares since taken a lease from the eitty of one wast and unprofitable peece of ground or greate ditch lying betweene Saint James Gate and the Red mills; the whieh lease was granted him for sixty one yeares, at the yearely rent of one couple of fatt capons dureing his life and the life of his wife, unto the Maior of this eitty for the time being, and after the deecase of the petitioner and his wife, the rent then was to be fower pounds, sterling, per annum, to the treasurer of the eitty for the use of the said eitty; whereupon the petitioner hath disbursed, in improveing and filling upp the said ditch and in building thereupon, greate sumes of money, beyond what hee first conceeived the same would have eost him; whereupon the petitioner is become much indebted and ingaged; and the petitioner finding that hee shalbe necessitated to lay out a larger sune on the premisses before hee can bring the same to soe good perfection as	m. 55.
Ditch. St. James' Gate. Mills.		
Building.		

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m. 55.

hee intends, whereby the citty will have the more 1664-5.
 advantage, and the high way, leading downe to the Highway.
 Liffy and Read mills very much amended, to the greate Liffey.
 advantage of the inhabitantes of the citty; the petitioner
 therefore humbly praied the said assembly to take the
 premisses into their grave considerations, and alsoe to
 grant him a new lease for ninety nine yeares of the
 premisses, at such rent as [to] the said assembly should
 seeme fitting: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon,
 by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner
 have a lease of the premisses in the petition mentioned
 for the terme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at
 Easter next, at the yearely rent of fower pounds per
 annum, and one couple of fatt eapons yearely to the
 Maior of the said citty for the time being, or five
 shillings in lieu thereof; and that such other elauses
 and covenants be inserted in the said lease as Mr.
 Reeorder shall thinck fitt, the petitioner first surren-
 dring the former lease of the same.

Memorandum: That the severall lotts or proportions
 of land sett out on the east parte of Oxmantowne Oxman-
town
Green.
 Greene, Dublin, and the respective tennant to each lott,
 are as heerafter followeth:

No. 1.—It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
 authority aforesaid, that George Putland, of the citty of George
Putland.
 Dublin, smith, for and in consideration of the sune of
 forty shillings, sterling, eurrant and lawfull money of
 and in England, paid as a fine to alderman John
 Desmineeres, to and for such uses as by an act of
 assembly of the said citty, made the day of the date
 heerof, is lymitted and appointed, shall have a fee farme
 for ever upon one plott or parcell of ground scituatt,
 lying and being on the east parte of Oxmantowne
 Greene, Dublin, being the first lott, containeing in the First lot.
 front, bounding in the east towards Smithfeild, nine-
 teene yards and two foote, and on the north to Alderman
 Vizards lott, forty two yards; on the west to William

1664-5.
Church
street.
Bowling
Green.
Oxman-
town
Green.
Trees.

Smithfield.

Grants.

Tenants.

Crosses lott nineteene yards and two foote, and on the south to Church streete leading to the Bowleing Greene forty and two yards; alsoe without the said front is allowed twenty foote more in depth towards Smithfeild, to be railed in, and to plant a rowe of trees¹ next the pavement of the said Smithfeild; at the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty.

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Grants to each of the following: one or more plots of ground on the east side of Oxmantowne Green, fine forty shillings for each plot, annual rent, twenty shillings:

Nos. 2, 63.—Hercules Langford, esquire.

No. 3.—Thomas Walker, baker.

„ 4.—Rice Phillipps, vintner.

„ 5.—Oliver Walsh, gentleman.

„ 6.—John Desmineers, alderman.

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Nos. 7, 30, 31, 61.—Enoch Reader, alderman.

No. 8.—George Hulett, vintner.

Nos. 9, 16.—Thomas Taylor, gentleman.

„ 10, 15.—John Wells, gentleman.

„ 11, 12.—John Greene, carpenter.

No. 13.—Robert Mead, merchant.

„ 14.—Christopher Thorncastle, gentleman.

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„ 17.—John Stone, tanner.

„ 18.—Richard Tigh, alderman.²

„ 19.—Minard Christian, merchant.

„ 20.—Thomas Springham, merchant.

„ 21.—Robert Shipley, cooke.

Nos. 22, 50.—Edward Briscoe, brewer.

„ 23, 24.—William Crosse, gentleman.

No. 25.—John Preston, alderman.

„ 26.—Amos Ogden, gentleman.

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¹ This clause, in relation to trees, is also in the grants, from No. 2 to No. 12 inclusive.

² In margin: "A grant by itselfe to Alderman Tigh, 3 March, 1664[5]."

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- No. 27.—Noe lott.
- Nos. 28, 47, 55, 56, 58.—John Bridges, gentleman.
- No. 29.—Thomas King, tailor.
- Nos. 32, 84.—John Forrest, alderman.
- „ 33.—John Alexander, cordwainer.
- Nos. 34, 35.—Thomas Allwin, tanner.
- m. 57. „ 36, 38.—John Forrest, alderman.
- No. 37.—Richard Cooke, alderman.
- „ 39.—John Cranwell, alderman.
- „ 40.—Richard Byrne, cutler.
- „ 41.—William Hill, upholstrer.
- „ 42.—Anthony Derry, glover.
- „ 43.—George Surdevile, tailor.
- „ 44.—Daniel Hutchenson, alderman.
- m. 57 b. „ 45.—William Harris, haberdasher.
- „ 46.—Richard Brookeing, chirurgion.
- „ 48.—Peter Ashenhurst, gentleman.
- „ 49.—William Fullam, merchant.
- Nos. 51, 59.—Christopher Elliston, clothier.
- m. 58. No. 52.—Luke Lowther, distiller.
- „ 53.—John Bysse, chief baron, exchequer.
- „ 54.—Peter Wybrants, alderman.
- „ 57.—Walter Harris, merchant.
- „ 60.—Philip Castleton, merchant.
- Nos. 62, 73.—John Fletcher, merchant.
- m. 58 b. No. 64.—John Gardner, cordwainer.
- „ 65.—Samuel Saltonstall, merchant.
- „ 66.—Owen Jones, merchant.
- „ 67.—George Stoughton, merchant.
- „ 68.—Arthur Eccles, merchant.
- „ 69.—Robert Hughes, gentleman.
- m. 59. „ 70.—Edward Tweles, tailor.
- „ 71.—Lewis Desmoneeres, alderman.
- „ 72.—George Southwick, watchmaker.
- „ 74.—Richard Palfry, gentleman.
- „ 75.—Christopher Gernon, cordwainer.
- „ 76.—William Griffin, baker.

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Oxman-
town
Green.
Tenants.

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Oxman-
town
Green.

Nos. 77, 82.—John Eastwood, brewer.

No. 78.—John Smith, merchant.

Nos. 79, 80.—Viscount Dungannon.¹

No. 81.—William Bell, chirurgcon.

„ 83.—John Totty, alderman.

„ 85.—Viscount Massareene.²

„ 86.—Henry Woodfall, tailor.

Nos. 87, 88.—The Free School.³

No. 89.—Charles Lemon, gentleman.

„ 90.—Sir William Davis, recorder.

„ 91.—William Devin, baker.

„ 92.—Sir Daniel Bellingham.

„ 93.—William Drayton, baker.

„ 94.—William Dodson, gentleman.

„ 95.—Joseph Stoker, goldsmith.

Nos. 96, 97.—Warner Westenra, merchant.

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1664[-5], February 10.

Sir Robert
Forth.

Chancery.

Hoggen
Green.

Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this m. 60 b. assembly, shewing that whereas sir Robert Forth,⁴ knight, hath preferred severall bills in his majesties high court of Chancery in Ireland against your petitioners, concerning Hoggen Greene, and hath served the petitioners with the subpenas of that court to answer the said bills, which will require some able and fitt person to be necessarily imployed as an agent in the behalfe of this citty for the defending the said suites, and alsoe an order for raiseing some money for the defraying the charge in the defence thereof; the premisses considered, the petitioners most humbly praied the said assembly to lay downe some course in this assembly for the raiseing some moneys to be expended in the defence of the said suite, and alsoe for to appoint and authorize some able and fitt person or

¹ See p. 255.

² See p. 287.

³ Exempted from fine and rent.

⁴ Member of the Privy Council, Ireland.

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persons to be imployed as agent to sollicite the said 1661-5.
suite in the behalfe of this citty: it is therefore ordered
and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly,
that Richard Lord be and is heerby appointed agent to
sollicite the affaires in the petition mentioned, and that
a letter of attorney be given to the said agent, under
the seale of the said citty, for and in the name of the
said citty, to maintaine the said suite and to fee attornies
and counsell in the said cause, and that hee be furnished
with mony from time to time out of the treasury of the
citty to be disbursed in the said cause, and that Mr.
Maiors warrant and Mr. Lords acquittance shalbe a
sufficient discharge to the treasurer of the citty for the
same, and that the said agent doe attend the committee
of agency, whoe are heerby authorized to take care of
the said affaire, to receive such instructions from them
as they shall thinck fitt to give from time to time, and
that the said committee have recourse to such records
concerning that buisines as the said committee shall
thinck fitt.

Richard
Lord, agent
for city.

Attornies
Counsel.

m. 61.

1664[-5], February 20.

Whereas certaine of the commons preferred their
petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas
they were informed that there was a letter lately come
from his excellency the lord deputy to this citty, effectually
recommending sir William Davis, knight, the
recorder of this citty, to succeed Raphael Hunt, late
alderman of this citty, in the place of clearke of the
Tholsell of this citty, which letter followeth in these
words :

Sir William
Davis.
Hunt.
Clerk of
Tholsel.

'To our loveing freinds, the Maior, Sheriffes, commons
and cittyzens of the citty of Dublin: After our hearty
commendations: Whereas wee are informed that the
place or office of the clerke of the Thollsell in the citty of
Dublin is become void by the death of Raphaell Hunt,
one of the late aldermen of the said citty, whoe held the

Letter from
Earl of
Ossory.

Hunt.

1664-5.
Clerk of
Tholsel.

Recommen-
dation.

Favors to
Dublin.

Duties

Law,

Child of
Dublin city.

said place or office of clerke of the Tholsell; and foras-
much as wee are informed that for the well dischargeing
the duties of that place it wilbe requisite that the person
to succeed therein be a person knowing in the lawes:
wee, therefore, considering the ability and fitnes of sir
William Davis, knight, recorder of the said citty, for
dischargeing the duties of that place, which is alsoe well
knowne to yourselves; wee, therefore, doe in speciall
manner recommend to you the said sir William Davis to
be by you elected to succeed in the said place or office of
clearke of the Tholsell of the said citty, which as wee
conceive it to be for the advantage of the citty in
placing therein soe worthy a person, soe wee shall take
it in very good part at your hands and acknowledge it
as a speciall respect rendred by you to our recommen-
dation, desiring your compliance heerin. And soe wee
bid you heartily farewell.

‘ From his majesties castle of Dublin, the eighteenth
day of February, 1664[-5], your very loveing freind,—
‘ Ossory.’

Wherefore and for that the said petitioners desire in
everything to comply with his excellency, the lord
deputy, whose late favours for this citty must with all
humble thanckfulnesse be remembred, and for that the
petitioners had good experience not only of the said
recorders abilities to performe the duties of that place in
the matters of lawe which must often fall under con-
sideration in the management thereof, but alsoe of his
late greate indeavours and happy successe in the
carrying on the affaires of the citty lately pending att
the councill board, and in regard the said recorder is a
towne borne childe of the said citty; the petitioners
therefore did humbly supplicate the said assembly that
the said recorder might be preferred to the said place
and office of clerke of the Tholsell of the said citty;
wherefore, in consideration had of the said letter from
his excellency, and in humble and dutifull obedience to

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his commands, and likewise takeing into consideration ^{1664-5.}
the faithfull services of sir William Davis, knight, the ^{Sir William Davis.}
recorder of the said citty, and of the constant services
and indeavours of sir Pawle Davis,¹ father of the said sir ^{Sir Paul Davis.}
William Davis, for this citty, which is amply manifested
in his late appeareing for the said citty, and forasmuch
as the recorder doth not challenge any right to the
premisses in the petition mentioned, but to receive the
same as a marke of the cittyes favor to him: it is there-
fore for theise especiall reasons ordered that the same <sup>Appoint-
ment.</sup>
sir William Davis shall have and enjoy the place or
office of clerke of the Thollsell of the said citty by him-
selfe or deputy, with all the rights, privileges and
immunities thereunto belonging, dureing the time of his
being recorder of the said citty, and noe longer, the said
recorder paying the usuall rent thereout reserved to the ^{Rent.}
citty, and in regard the same may not be brought into
president: it is therefore ordered that the said office be
forthwith separated, after the time of the said sir <sup>Separation
of offices.</sup>
William Davis his interest therein expired, from the
place of recorder, any act of assembly to the contrary
notwithstanding.

1664[-5], March 3.

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Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto this
assembly, shewing that whereas Alderman Richard Tighe, <sup>Richard
Tighe.</sup>
at the request of the Maior and Sheriffes of this citty,
did assigne over his lott on Oxmantowne Greene unto <sup>Lot.
Oxman-
town
Green.</sup>
Mr. John Eastwood in lieu of his lott, which fell close
unto the howse at Youngs castle, which formerly was a <sup>Youngs
castle.</sup>
court of guard, and now in the possession of the right
honorable the lord of Dungannon, and did alsoe, at the <sup>Lord
Dungan-
non.</sup>
said Maior and Sheriffes requests, assigne over the said
lott of Mr. Eastwood unto the said lord of Dungannon ^{Eastwood.}
for his better accommodation, it being close unto the

¹ Secretary of state, Ireland, and clerk of the privy council.

1664-5. said howse : the said commons therefore humbly praied the said assembly to confirme and settle on the said Alderman Richard Tighe, and his heires for ever, the eighteenth lott of the said Greene, which is as yet undisposed of, at the same rent and fine as others pay : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said Alderman Richard Tighe, for and in consideration of the sune of forty shillings, sterling, currant and lawfull money of England, paid as a fine unto Alderman John Desmineeres, to and for such uses as by an act of assembly of the said citty made in Christmas assembly last is lymitted and appointed, shall have a fee farme for ever of the said eighteenth lott, which said lott containes in the front, bounding on the west to Queenes streete, nineteene yards and two foote, on the north, to John Stones lott, forty two yards, on the east, to Christopher Duffes lott, now Alderman Enoch Readers, nineteene yards and two foote, on the south, to Minard Christians lott, forty and two yards, at the yearly rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty ; and that such clauses, covenants and reservations be inserted in the said deed of fee farme as are contained in the severall deeds of fee farme for the severall lotts on the said Greene already made and perfected.

1665. 1665.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

Queen street.
Stone.
Duffe.
Reader.
Christian.
Deeds.

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1665. 1665.¹ Second Friday after Easter.² m. 63.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas Richard Lord, of the citty of Dublin, goldsmith, petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that hee, by speciall appointment from the right worshippfull the Maior of this citty, paid and disbursed upon the citty account the sune of twelve pounds, six shillings, sterling, for depicting three coates of armes and for three

¹ Charles II.² Easter-day, 26th March, 1665.

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silver boxes for the seales of freedoms for sir William Flower, sir John Stephens and sir Thomas Harman, knights, whoe were admitted to the freedome of this citty in Michaelmas assembly last; the premisses considered, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to order him satisfaction for the said sume of twelve pounds, six shillings, sterling, by him disbursed for the uses aforesaid: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the thresurer of the citty for the time being be and is heerby appointed to satisfy and pay to the petitioner the said summe of twelve pounds, six shillings, sterling, and that the Maiors warrant for the time being, togeather with the petitioners receipt for the same, shalbe a sufficient acquittance for the same, provided it shall be noe president for the future.

1665.
Silver
boxes.
Arms.
Flower.
Stephens.
Harman.

[2.] Whereas alsoe the right honorable Marke, lord viscount Dungannon, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly that the guard howse neere unto Youngs castle in Oxmantowne, and the premisses and appurtenances thereunto belonging, lately leased by this honorable citty unto sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, lyeth somewhat contiguous unto the petitioners dwelling howse, and forasmuch as the petitioner had agreed with the said sir Daniell Bellingham for his terme and interest in the premisses, the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to grant unto him and his heires and assignes a fee farme of the said guard howse and premisses granted unto the said sir Daniell Bellingham, paying such reasonable fine as the said assembly should thinck fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner shall have a fee farme of the premisses at the rent reserved in the lease made thereof to the said sir Daniell Bellingham, the said rent to be yearely paid over and above all contributions and charges whatsoever; provided the petitioner doe give unto the citty a

Viscount
Dungan-
non.
Guard
house.
Oxman-
towne.
Belling-
ham.

Fine.

1665.
Piecc of
plate.

peece of plate (to such value as hee shall thinck fitt) to follow the sword, and that such clauses and covenants be inserted in the said deed as the recorder shall thinck fitt.

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Sir Henry
Titchburne.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that sir Henry Titchburne, knight, shall have a lease for the term of ninety nine yeares, commencing from the date of the petitioners lease of the ground whereon his howse is now built on Colledge Greene, on a smalle parcell of wast ground on the Colledge Greene, containing from the parcell of ground formerly sett unto him to the Colledge wall forty seven foote, and from thence to the Colledge wall fifty and eight foote, and in breadth to the middle of the ditch next to Mr. Fowkes garden fifty and five foote, and alsoe the twelve foote excepted in a former deed for a way which containeth in length backward fifty and five foote, and alsoe the parcell of ground behind his howse conteyning in length from the pales to the way allowed betweene the old bowling ally and the mount ninety eight foote, and in breadth from the old trench to the mount fifty foote: provided that the mount contiguous to the petitioners howse be not included in the said lease now granted to the petitioner, at the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, and likewise a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in liew thereof to be paid every Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, and that the said rent be paid yearely as aforesaid over and above all contribucions, charges, taxes and impositions whatsoever, and that such clauses and covenants be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt; the said yearely rent to commence at Michaelmas next.

College
Green.

College
wall.

Garden.

Pales.

Bowling
alley.

Mount.

John Totty.

[4.] That John Totty, of the citty of Dublin, alderman, shall have a lease for terme of ninety nine yeares on a

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smalle parcell of wast ground, on the north side to 1665.
Pyphoes parke in Oxmantowne Greene, containeing from Pyphoes
east to west in length thirty pearches, and in breadth Park.
from north to south forty foote, att the yearely rent of Oxman-
five pounds, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of the town.
said citty for the time being, for the use of the said
citty, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings,
sterling, in lieu thereof at Christmas yearely to the
Maier of the said citty for the time being; the said rent
to be paid over and above all contributions and charges
whatsoever, and that such clauses and covenants be
incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck
fitt; the said lease to begin at Michaelmas next.

[5.] That George Surdevile, of the citty of Dublin, Surdevile.
taylor, and Robert Meade, of the same, taylor, shall have Meade.
a lease for terme of ninety nine yeares on a small peece
of wast ground scituatt on the out bounds of this citty
liberty in the way leading to Killmaineham, containeing Killmain-
in breath in the west end thirteene yards, and in length ham.
from east to west sixty fower yards, and in breadth on
the east end thirty three yards, at the yearely rent of
forty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the thresurer of
the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said
citty, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons or five
shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof to be paid every
Christmas yearely to the Maier of the said citty for the
time being, and that such other clauses and covenants
be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck
fitt; the said lease to begin at Michaelmas next.

[6.] Whereas alsoe John Everton, of the citty of John
Dublin, skinner, petitioned likewise unto the said Everton.
assembly, shewing that hee hath beene a long time one
of the commons of this honorable citty, by which hee
had the benefitt to draw a lott for a proportion of land Lots.
on both the Greenes belonging to the citty, but such was
his misfortune that hee drew two blanckes; now, since Greens of
fortune did not favour him in this affaire, the petitioner city.

- 1665, therefore humbly praied the said assembly to grant him Roll xiv. m. 63.
 some smalle proportion of land of the quantity of an
 Oxman- ordinary lott on Oxmantowne Greene yet undisposed of
 towne. (if any such thing be), or otherwise to grant him the lott m. 63 b.
 Quine. which was granted unto Alderman Marke Quine on
 Saint Stephens Greene:¹ it is therefore ordered and
 St. agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the lott on
 Stephen's Saint Stephens Greene, being number one, heertofore
 Green. intended for Alderman Quine, but by him refused, be
 granted to the petitioner and his heires in such manner
 and forme, and not otherwise, as the other lotts on the
 said Greene were granted.
- Mayor. [7.] Sir Daniel Bellingham, knight, is chosen Maior
 for the next ensuing yeare.
- Sheriffs. [8.] Mr. John Sargeant and Mr. Daniel Wybrants are
 chosen Sherrifes for the next ensuing yeare.

1665, May 5.

- Favors to city. Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned this
 Royal letters. assembly, shewing that whereas his majestie hath beene
 pleased to conferr severall gracious favors on this citty,
 which hee hath signified by his letters beareing date the
 14th day of March, 1664[-5], which said favors add
 abundantly to the honor and advantage of the citty;
 and forasmuch as there is a greate necessity for raiseing
 Money. a considerable sune of money in order to the perfecting
 Letters patent. the said worke and passing his majesties letters pattents
 for the said grants, and for grattifying the severall
 persons whoe have beene sollicitors in the said affaire
 on the behalfe of the citty, and for severall other con-
 tingent charges incident about the effecting the said
 buisnesses: therefore the said commons praied the said
 Committee. assembly that they would be pleased to appoint a com-
 mittee in this assembly to consider of what some of
 money might be necessary to be raised in and about the
 premisses, and that the same might be disposed of by

¹ See p. 303.

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the said committee as they shall thinck fitt; it is there-^{1665.}fore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the committee appointed for the agency doe consider of the contents of the said petition,^{Petition.} and of what some of money is necessary to be raised for the affaire in the petition mentioned, the same not to exceed three hundred pounds, sterling, and that the same be raised upon such security as the said committee shall thinck fitt, and what security the said committee shall contract upon the same shalbe confirmed by the^{Contract for money.} citty seale at the next post assembly of the said citty, and that the Maior of the said citty for the time being be and is heerby authorized to yssue his warrants for gathering in the arrears of all such as have not yet^{Arrears.} paid their severall proportions of the former sumes assessed on them for the said worke, and that the same be paid and disposed of as the said committee shall appoint.

1665, June 20.

It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Edward Harris, goldsmith, shall have^{Edward Harris.} and enjoy the place or office of marshall of this citty,^{Marshal of city.} with all the perquisites thereunto belonging, to have and to hold to the said Edward Harris, dureing the will and pleasure of the Maior, Sheriffes, commons and cittyzens of the said citty and their successors, and that the said Edward Harris shall, before a grant of the said imployment or office to be made to him, give such sufficient security as the Maior, recorder and Sheriffes shall thinck^{Security.} fitt for his due execution of the said imployment, and that such clauses, covenants and provisoes be incerted in the said grant as the recorder shall thinck fitt.

m. 65

1665. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly,

1665.
Sir William
Aston.

that sir William Aston,¹ knight, shall have a lease, for the terme of ninety nine yeares, of a smalle peece of ground betwixt the citty walle and the streete walle, fronting on the said sir William Astons howse, conteyneing in breadth to the streete from Pole Mill to Nathaniell Fowkes his holding fifteene yards in the back parte from east to west along the citty walle by the tower tenn yards in breadth, and from the streete at the east end to the citty walle twelve yards and a halfe in depth, and from the streete at the west end to the citty walle fifteene yards alsoe in depth, att the yearely rent of tenn shillings, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, att Michaelmas and Easter, by even and equall portions, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, att Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, and that such other clauses and covenants be inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt.

Sir Thomas
Harmon.

St.
Stephen's
street.
St. George's
lane.

[2.] That sir Thomas Harmon, knight, shall have a lease, for the terme of ninety nine yeares, of a howse and garden plott lying and being in Saint Stephen streete and Saint Georges lane, Dublin, formerly demised unto John Quine, of Dublin, taylor, conteyning in length fifty eight yards and a halfe, and in breadth nine and twenty yards, att the yearely rent of fouer pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, att such daies and times as in the petitioners former grant of the premisses is lymitted and appointed, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, att Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, the said sir Thomas Harmon surrendring upp his former deed of the premisses, and that such other clauses, covenants, provisoes and con-

¹ Justice, king's bench, Ireland.

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ditions be incerted in the said deed as Mr. Recorder 1665.
shall thinck fitt.

[3.] That Richard Brookin, of the citty of Dublin, Richard Brookin, barber surgeon. Oxmantowne Green.
barber chirurgeon, shall have a lease, for terme of ninety nine yeares, of a parcell of wast ground neere Oxmantowne Greene, at the west end of Stanleys holding and adjoyning to Alderman Totties holding, conteyning at the west end from north to south seaventy yards in breadth, at the south end eighteene yards, and in the north end nine yards, at the yearely rent of fouer pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, att Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being, and that such clauses be inserted in the said deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt; the said yearely rent to be paid at Easter and Michaelmas yearely; and the said Richard Brookin is alsoe to satisfy and pay unto Alderman Totty the Totty. charges of his petition, survey and carrying on the said discovery, and alsoe to have the benefitt of the act or acts of assembly made in the behalfe of all such persons as shall make discovery of the like nature.

[4.] That William Harvey, of the citty of Dublin, William Harvey. Mills. Christ Church meadow.
scavenger, shall have a lease of a peece of wast ground betweene the Read Mills and Christ Church meadow, formerly granted by this citty unto Robert Beater, cooke, to have and to hold unto the said William Harvy, his executors, administrators and assignes, for the terme of ninetie nine yeares, at the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, and alsoe one couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at Christmas yearely to the Maior of the said citty for the time being; the said rent to be paid at Easter and Michaelmas yearely, dureing the said terme; and that such clauses be incerted in the said grant as the recorder shall thinck fitt.

1665.
Phillpot,
haberdasher,
St.
Patrick's
well
Ringsend.

Tottenham
Court.
Strand.

Birne.
King.

Discoverers.

John Pue,
attorney.

Tholsel
court.

Jones.
Hunt.

Franchise.

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[5.] That Nathaniell Phillpott, of the citty of Dublin, haberdasher, shall have a lease of a peece of ground lying eastward from Saint Patricks well on the north side of the lane leading from the said well towards Ringsend, formerly in the possession of Mr. Nicholas Lilly, deceased, and now in the occupation of captine John Nicholas, and formerly called Tottenham Court, and conteyning at the east end towards the Strand from north to south nineteene yards, and at the west end from north to south eleaven yards, and in length from east to west sixty and seaven yards, for the terme of sixty one yeares, at the yearly rent of six pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the said citty for the time being, for the use of the said citty, and alsoc one couple of fatt capons or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof at Christmas yearly to the Maior of the said citty for the time being; the said rent to be paid at Michaelmas and Easter yearly; and that such clauses be incerted in the said deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt, and that the said Nathaniell Phillpott doe pay unto Daniell Birne and Thomas King what charges they have bin at in makeing discovery of the said peece of ground, and likewise the said Daniell Birne and Thomas King shall have the benefitt of all such act and acts of assembly as are made in the behalfe of discoverers.

[6.] That John Pue, servant to the right worshippfull sir William Davis, knight, recorder of the said citty, shall have and enjoy the place of one of the attornies of the Tholsell court of the citty of Dublin, in the place of Francis Harris, deceased, late one of the attornies of the said court, for soe long time as the said John Pue shall exercise the said imployment.

[7.] Mr. Thomas Jones is elected and chosen alderman in the place and stead of Raphaell Hunt, alderman, deceased.

Admissions to franchise.

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1665.

1665, July 25.

Whereas certain of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that whereas his excellency the lord deputy and counsell, takeing speciall notice that the infection of the plague is at this present very great and dispersed very farr in the eitty of London and divers other partes of the kingdome of England, and taking into consideration the great perill and danger which might ensue to this citty of Dublin and other parts of this kingdome by reason of the continuall trade, especially betweene the eitty of London and this eitty, if people of all sorts should be suffered freely to resort hither without controul, and merehants to bring and open their merchandizes in this citty, and being earefull to provide some speedy remedy to prevent the said sad events which might ensue thereof, have espeecially ordered that two howses, convenient for the stowing and keeping of merhandize coming from any port beyond the seas to this citty, and for receaving and entertaining of passengers and such other persons as shall come from beyond seas, be forthwith erected [at] a convenient distanee from this citty, the same to be erected at the charges of this eitty, and therefore the petitioners most humbly praied the said assembly for an order to be laid downe in the said assembly, for the erecting two such convenient houses as aforesaid, and for defraying the charges thereof as the said assembly should thinke fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the island of Clantarffe be appointed as the most convenient plaece to answer the ends in the petition mentioned, and that there be assessed on the inhabitants of this citty, suburbs and liberties thereof, the sum of three hundred pounds, sterling, for the speedy erecting of convenient houses for persons and goods that shall hereafter be brought into the harbour of this citty out of the

Lord
Deputy.

Plague.

London.

England.

Trade.

Merchants.

Houses.

Merchan-
dize.

Passengers.

Island of
Clontarf.

Persons.
Goods.
Harbour.

1665. Committee. Applot- ment. Parishes.	kingdom of England, and that there be a committee appointed for the due apportioning and equal applotting and assessing of the said sune on the different parishes, and the same so apportioned, applotted and assessed to be from time to time levyed and collected by warrant from Mr. Maior, and that the said parishes doe appoint their severall collectors of the said moneys to pay the same into the hands of Alderman John Desmineeres, whoe is to issue forth the same from time to time by order of the said eommittee; and alsoe that the said committee be impowered to appoint and contraet with some fit and able person or persons to oversee the said work; and that the eommittees order for yssueing the said moneys be a sufficient discharge to the said Alderman Desmineeres for the same; and that the said committee be and are hereby impowered to doe all such other acts and things tending to the better performanee of the said worke as they in their diseretion shall think fitt; and that the committee appointed for Oxmantowne be and are hereby appointed a committee for carrying on of this affaire, whoe are to meete on Thursday next by nine of the elock in the morning, and to adjourn from time to time and from place to place as they shall think fit; and it is lastly ordered that a petition shall be drawn upp in the name of the Maior, Sheriffs, commons and citizens of the citty to his excellency the lord deputy and eouncell, praying an order for that island to be appointed and set apart for the ends aforesaid; and that what buildings or other things shall be ereeted and laid out on this oecasion by the said citty, that the citty should have power from time to time to remove the same at their will and pleasure without the lett or hindrance of the proprietor of the said island; and that the right honorable the lord chaneellor ¹ and the erle of Meath ² be desired to give order for the due applotting of	Roll xiv. m. 65 b.
Desmi- neeres.		
Contract.		
Overseers.		
Money.		
Oxman- town.		
Meetings.		
Hours.		
Petition.		
Lord Deputy. Council.		
Buildings.		
Removal.		
Proprietor.		
Chancellor. Earl of Meath.		

¹ Michael Boyle, who was also Pro-
testant archbishop of Dublin.

² Edward Brabazon, second earl of
Meath.

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an eighth parte of the said sume of three hundred 1665.
pounds for the better carrying on the worke aforesaid,
it being the usuall proportion heretofore borne by the
said liberties.

1665, August, 24.

Laws, orders and constitutions:--[1.] Whereas cer-
taine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly,
shewing that there was an omission the last yeare of
makeing an assessment on this honorable citty for pro-
vision of fire and candlelight for the horse and foote ^{Horse and}
guards, which is required to be done by act of state, ^{foot guards.}
which being a buisines of publique concernement to this
citty, that all persons inhabitants therein and in the
suburbs thereof ought to beare an equall share and pro-
portionable burden towards the maintenance of the
same; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said
assembly that a committee might bee appointed by the ^{Committee.}
said assembly forthwith to applott upon the inhabitants ^{Applot-}
of the severall parishes within this citty and suburbs ^{ment,}
^{Parishes.}
not only such moneys as ought to have bin charged upon
them the yeare last past, but alsoe an applottment be
made for the yeare next ensuing for the raiseing such
sumes of money with equallity upon the severall
inhabitants of the said citty and suburbs as shalbe
equivalent to pay the charge thereof: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said
assembly, that a committee be appointed for takeing of
the accounts of the former yeares, and to compute the ^{Computa-}
charges of the last yeare, and alsoe of the next ensuing ^{tion.}
yeare, and to asseesse the same on the severall inhabitants ^{Assess-}
of this citty, and the same to be levyed by warrant ^{ment.}
from Mr. Maior; and the same soe levyed and collected
to be paid and disposed of as the said committee shall
direct, and that the committee be the Maior and ^{Mayor.}
Sherriffes for the time being, Alderman John Cranwell, ^{Sheriffs,}
Alderman John Desmineeres, and Alderman John Forrest, ^{Aldermen,}

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1665. and six of the commons, to be named by the commons, or any five of them, whereof the Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two. The names of the commons are Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. Luke Lowther, Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes, Mr. William Brookes and Mr. Samuel Saltounstall. Roll xiv.
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[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that they were informed that some persons of the citty of London have indeavored by some meanes or perswasions used to his majestie to hinder the trade to the Canaries, not only from the inhabitants of this citty, but from the whole kingdome, and that some directions or letters were procured from his majestie to that effect, which the said petitioners beleeve to have beene obtained upon misinformation, and now prosecuted before the lord deputy, which, if not prevented, will produce a generall decay of trade in this citty and kingdome, as well to importation of forreigne goods as to the exportation of their tallow, butter, beefe, mutton, frizes, tand leather, pipe staves, pilehards, herrings, salmon, etc., it being in all probabillity designed to be bought att their owne rates, and others by the same president may be prohibitted in their severall trades which allwaies they have used free under their charters; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to appeare in a timely application to his excellency the lord deputy and counsell, by a petition unto the said resyted petition then annexed, for the prevention of the ruin of merchants of this citty and other the traders therein, and that a course might be laid downe in the said assembly for the raiseing of a certaine sune of money for carrying the same on; the which said petition to the lord deputy and counsell followeth in these words:

Petition
to lord
deputy and
council.

‘To his excellency Thomas, earle of Ossory, lord deputy generall of Ireland, and to his majesties honorable privy counsell of the same, the humble petition of the Maior,

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Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of the citty of Dublin: 1665.

Sheweth that the merchants and traders of this citty and kingdome, as well by his majesties favor and grace as by the knowen lawes and statutes of this kingdome,

Merchants.
Traders.

have alwaies used free tradeing therein by transporting the native commodities thereof into forraigne countries

Free trade
with foreign
countries.

and importing of forreigne commodities, to the great improvement of his majesties revenue and the enriching of the country; and whereas, after a long time of desolation, rebellion, warr and troubles, your petitioners were encouraged by his majesties happy restoration to sett upp

Troubles.

trading for severall forreigne countries, to the greate advantage of the kingdome in generall; and whereas the most usefull part of their tradeing is for the Canary

Canary
islands.

islands, where tallow, butter, beefe, mutton, frises, tand leather, pipe staves, pilchards, herrings, salmon and other of the country commodities are of the best vent, which occasioned your petitioners to lay out the most parte of

Commodi-
ties of
Ireland.

their stock in the said commodities, a greate parte whereof they have already transported to the said islands, the effects whereof still remaine there, and a greate store still remaine on their hands, for the transportation whereof they have fraughted severall vessells

Shipping.

of greate expence and charge; now, soe it is, that your petitioners doe understand that some person of the citty of London have indeavored by some meanes or perswa-

London.

sion used to his majestie to hinder your petitioners said tradeing for the Canaries, and that some directions or letters were procured from his majestie to that effect, which if soe your petitioners beleeve to have beene obteyned by misinformation; wherefore and inasmuch

as your petitioners will make appeare that to restraine the marchants and traders of this citty and kingdome from the trade of the said Canary islands will produce a

Restraint
on trade.

generall decay of trade heere, a lessening of his majesties revenue, will render the estates of the nobility and gentry of lesse value, will impoverish the common sort and wilbe

Decay.

1665. a present ruin to your petitioners; therefore, this buisines ^{Roll xiv. m. 66.}
 being of soe high a concernement to his majestie, the
 Subjects in Ireland. corporations and all his subjects of this kingdome, they
 humbly pray your excellency and the honorable lords of
 the councill that you wilbe pleased to appoint your
 petitioners a time to be heard concerneing the premisses,
 and to give directions that they may have coppies of
 such letters or other papers of directions concerning the
 same as remaine before your lordships, fitt to be made
 use of for the ends aforesaid, and in the meane time to
 be pleased to respite any such proceedings that may
 impede the said tradeing, or discourage or dishearten
 your petitioners and others from makeing provisions and
 preparations for further trade; and they will pray, etc.

It is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
 authority aforesaid, that the Maior, aldermen and
 Sherriffes doe attend his excellency and the councill with
 the said petition, and that there be raised on the thresury
 of this citty the sume of thirty pounds, to be paid unto
 Thomas Freeman, merchant, whoe is to disburse the same
 as hee in his discretion shall thincke fitt for the better
 carrying on the worke aforesaid, and that his acquittance
 shalbe a sufficient discharge to the thresurer for the
 same, and that the thresurer be reimbursed the said
 sume out of the next publique assessment that shalbe
 laid on this citty.

1665, October 14.

Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the ^{m. 68 b.}
 said assembly, shewing that whereas his grace the lord
 duke of Ormonde, by his letter beareing date the five
 and twentieth day of September last, directed to the
 right worshippingfull William Smith, esquire, then Maior of
 this citty, thereby takeing notice of a charter¹ formerly
 granted by his late majestie Charles the first, of ever

¹ See vol. i., p. 37.

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blessed memory, unto this citty, whereby his said 1655.
majestie did conferr the title of Lord Maior on the Maior ^{Title of}
of this citty, his grace did therefore by his said letter in ^{Lord}
especiall manner desire the said Alderman William ^{Mayor.}
Smith, and by him the aldermen and common counceall of ^{Aldermen.}
the said citty, that the Maior in election for the ensuing ^{Common}
yeare and his successors should take upon them the ^{council.}
tytle and dignity of Lord Maior of the said citty as by
the said letter may appeare; the petitioners therefore
humbly praied that the said assembly would be pleased
to take the premisses into their serious consideration,
and forasmuch as the chief magistrate of this citty his ^{Chief}
assumeing of the said tytle and dignity would much ^{magistrate,}
conduce to the honor and good of this citty, that there- ^{Honor of}
fore without further delay some course might be laid ^{city.}
downe in this present assembly whereby sir Daniell
Bellingham, knight, now Maior of this citty, might be ^{Sir Daniel}
desired to take upon him the tytle and dignity ^{Belling-}
of Lord Maior pursuant to his said late majesties letters ^{ham.}
pattents and the desire of the said lord duke; and the ^{Charles I.}
rather for that the same was alsoe desired by his ex- ^{Letters}
celleney the late lord deputy and counceall by their ^{patent.}
message sent to the said Alderman William Smith, by
his majesties principall secretary of state, to that ^{Earl of}
purpose; therefore upon serious consideration had of the ^{Ossory.}
above petition, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the ^{Secretary}
authority of the said assembly, that the letters pattents ^{of state,}
in the petition mentioned, and the dignity, honor and
benifitt thereby conferred on this citty, be acknowledged ^{Acknow-}
and accepted of by the citty with all humble thanckfull- ^{ledgment.}
nes, and that the present Maior of this citty and his ^{Acceptance.}
successors be from thenceforth declared and known by
the name and tytle of Lord Mayor of the citty of Dublin.

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1665. Third Friday after 29 September.

Lord Mayor: sir Daniel Bellingham, knight. Sheriffs: ^{Lord}
Christopher Lovett and John Quelch. ^{Mayor.}
^{Sheriffs.}

1665. Laws, orders and constitutions :—

Treasurer. [1.] Sir George Gilbert, knight, is chosen treasurer of the citty of Dublin for the next ensueing yeare.

Masters of works. [2.] Mr. Josua Allen and Mr. Francis Brewster are chosen masters of the citty workes for the said yeare.

Auditors. [3.] The Lord Maior, the aldermen, the Sherriffes, Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes, Mr. Thomas Kirkeham, Mr. Christopher Bennett and Mr. John Eastwood, or any six of them, are chosen auditors of the citty of Dublin for this yeare, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to bee alwaies two.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, desireing, for certaine reasons therein incerted, that the former treasurers of this citty be speedily required to passe their accounts, that see the revenue of this citty might be ascertained and supers enquired after and the rent rolle purged : therefore, upon consideration had of the said petition, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the first treasurer of this citty whoe hath not yet passed his account or accounts doe account before the auditors of this citty for the time being for the revenue of the citty within one moneth next after the date heerof ; and that the clerke of the Thollsell doe prepare his charge for that purpose, and that the other treasurers of this citty whoe have not yet passed their accounts be called to account before the said auditors of this citty immediately after the said first treasurer hath passed his said accounts. And it is further ordered by the said assembly that after the said severall treasurers have perfected their severall accounts, that then the auditors of the citty accounts for the time being be and are heerby authorized to examine and purge the rent rolle of this citty as in the said petition is desired.

Treasurers of city.

Rent roll.

Accounts. Auditors.

Clerk of Tholsel.

Treasurers.

Examination.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there hath beene formerly a committee appointed for the

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affaire of the watercourse of this citty, which was to continue untill this present assembly, and forasmuch as the said buisines is a matter of publique concernement unto the citty and noe committee as yet further authorized to treat about the same; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that the former committee appointed by act of assembly for the said affaire be empowered and authorized by the said assembly to continue a committee and to order the affaires of the said watercourse untill Christinas assembly next: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said committee, formerly appointed by act of assembly, for the affaires of the watercourse of this citty, be and are heerby authorized to continue a committee untill Christmas next, to proceed according to directions heertofore given and made in that affaire, and such further orders as shall be given them heerafter by the assemblies of this citty, and that Mr. Richard Lord doe alsoe continue agent for the said affaire dureing the power of the said committee, and that the said committee doe prepare the accounts of the said watercourse and report the same unto the said next assembly, to the end such further order may be taken therein as the assembly shall thinck fitt.

1665.
Water-
course of
citty.

Committee.

Richard
Lord,
agent.

Accounts.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine the commons petitioned likewise unto this assembly, shewing that whereas Alderman Robert Mills and Alderman William Cliffe have taken their severall oathes before the Maior and aldermen of this citty that their or either of their estates, both reall and personall, are not worth the sune of five hundred pounds, sterling, apeece, and therefore not of abillity to undergoe the office of Mayoralty of this honorable citty; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that some course might be laid downe in this assembly that the said Alderman Robert Mills and Alderman William Cliffe might not any longer continue in the places or offices of aldermen of this citty:

Aldermen:
Mills,
Cliffe.

Mayoralty.

1665.	it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority	Roll xiv. m. 67.
Succession.	aforesaid, that whereas the above named Robert Mills and William Cliffe were, according to their severall and respective turnes by the lawe of succession of this citty, elected severally Maiors of this citty for their next ensuing yeares, and upon their severall and respective	
Oaths.	voluntary oathes respectively taken on the Holy Evangelists, before the Maior and aldermen of the citty, that they were not respectively worth in worldly	
Qualification.	substance to the value of five hundred pounds, sterling, being the least sune which any man elected to be Maior of this citty ought to be worth, according to	
Custom of city.	the custome of the said citty: it is therefore ordered	
Dismissal.	that the said Mr. Mills and Mr. Cliffe be dismissed from henceforth from the severall and respective places of aldermen of this citty, and alsoe from the aforesaid election of Mayoralty. But it is not hereby intended that the said Mr. Cliffe and Mr. Mills be deprived of all	
Privileges.	or any of the priviledges which are due or belonging to the severall aldermen of this citty except their severall	
Places. Stations.	places and stations of aldermen, and that the said citty	
Election.	proceed to the election of other aldermen in their respective places.	
Members of common council of city.	[7.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by the antient lawes and customes of this citty, such as are of the numbers of this citty whoe absent themselves from the common councill of this citty three quarter assemblies togeather, and the same appeareing before the Maior and one of the Sherriffes for the time being and four of the aldermen, the said persons should be thereupon putt out of the rolle of numbers and others chosen and sworne in their places; and forasmuch as there are severall persons, that is to say, John Foxall, John Cade, Charles Andrewes, Broghill Taylor, Robert Quin and Richard Baneks, whoe have absented themselves from the said quarter assemblies, contrary to	
Absence. Quarter assembly.		

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the said act, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the 1665.
said assembly that the said persons might be putt out of
the said rolle of numbers and others duly chosen and Roll.
sworne in their places, according to the said act: foras-
much therefore as it appeareth that the said persons have
absented themselves from the quarter assemblies, con-
trary to the lawes and customes of this citty, it is Laws.
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of Customs.
the said John Foxall, John Cade,
Charles Andrewes, Broghill Taylor, Robert Quin, and
Richard Banckes be putt out of the roll of numbers as in Amotion.
the said petition is desired.

[8.] Whereas Thomas Kirkeham and William Brookes,
masters of the citty workes, petitioned likewise unto the Masters of
said assembly, shewing that they have bin severall city workes
times presented by the grand jurys in the kings bench
and the grand juries in the Tholsell of the said citty, for
not repaireing severall workes belonging to this citty, Repairs.
the particulars whereof were unto the said petition
annexed, many of which the petitioners had mended
by laying out severall summes of money out of their
owne purses, in the whole amounting to one hundred and
fifty pounds and upwards, and some of the citty workes
remained still undone by reason there had bin noe Unfinished
moneys raised for the finishing thereof; the said peti- works.
tioners therefore praied the said assembly to lay downe
some course for the reimbursing the said petitioners the Reimburse-
summe above mentioned, and likewise to raise other ment.
moneys for the finishing the workes of the citty as are
yet unrepaired, and to lay downe some way that the
said petitioners might be indemnified and saved harme-
les from such presentments as are against them, both Present-
in the kings bench and in the Tholsell of this citty, by Tholsel.
the severall grand juries, for the broken pavements of Pavements.
this citty: therefore, on consideration had of the above
petition, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
of this present assembly, that the auditors of the citty

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Accounts.

accounts for the time being be and are heerby authorized Roll xiv.
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to examine and state the accounts of the petitioners, and
what they find to be justly due to the petitioners on the
citty account, the same to be forthwith paid unto them by
the treasurer of this citty on the Lord Maiors warrant.

1665, November 10.

Bowling
Green,
Oxmanto-
town.
Liffey.

Trees.

Walking
places.

Banquet-
ting house.

Lots.

Contribu-
tions.

Levelling.
Planting.
Walk.

Wall.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine
of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing
that whereas there is a peece of wast ground lying
between the Bowleing Greene on Oxmantowne Greene
and the highway by the river Annaliffy, which yeeldeth
noe profit unto this citty, but is filled with filth and noi-
somness, and forasmuch as the said ground is fitt for
noe use to make it beneficiall unto the citty other then
by the levelling thereof and planting it with trees, which
would make a convenient walking place for the in-
habitantes of this citty, and add much beauty unto the
said Greene; the premisses considered, the petitioners
humbly praied the said assembly that the said ground
might be sett aparte for that purpose, and that some
order might be laid downe in this assembly for the
levelling thereof and planting the same with trees, as
this assembly should thinck fitt; it is therefore ordered,
by the authority of the said assembly, that the said
ground from the east end of the said Bowleing Greene
unto the west end thereof to the banquetting howse, to
conteyne forty foot from the walle of the said Greene
next the highway by the river Annaliffy, be sett aparte
for the use aforesaid, and that the severall and respective
possessors of the severall lottes on Oxmantowne Greene
doe pay for each lott the sume of tenn shillings, sterling,
into the hands of William Harvy,e, whoe is to dispose of
the same for the levelling and planting of the said walke
with trees, the said money to be paid before the first
day of December next, and that the said Harvy, e do
cause a stone walle to be made on the outwarde parte of

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the said ground from east to west of fower foote high to hold upp the earth, and that he doe levell the said ground and plant the same with elmes and sickamore trees, as may be most convenient for ornament, and alsoe railes att each end for the keepeing forth cattell from the said walke; the said worke to be finished by the seaventeenth day of March next.

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Elms.
Sycamores.

Rails.

Comple-
tion.

[2.] Whereas Christopher Bennett and Charles Best, late masters of the citty workes, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there was the sume of one hundred, seaventy five pounds, tenn shillings, eight pence halfe-penny, sterling, due by this citty unto his sacred majestie for the arreares of the rentes of severall fee farmes held by this citty, for which there had yssued processe out of his majesties courte of exchequer against the citty; and whereas there was an order of his majesties said court of exchequer, grounded on his majesties letters unto this citty, that the said arreares should be respited untill his majesties letters pattents for remitting the said arreares should be passed, which order of court the petitioners had not any benefitt of, by reason the fees for takeing of it out were not yet satisfied, soe that notwithstanding that order the citty still standeth charged with the said arreares, and processe hath yssued against the said citty for the levyeing thereof; the premisses considered, and forasmuch as the said petitioners, late Sheriffes of this citty, had expended severall sumes of money on the account of this citty about the premisses, as by the account annexed to the said petition might appeare; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that some course might be taken whereby the fees of the said order might be discharged, a particular whereof was to the said petition annexed, that soe the citty might noe longer stand charged with the said arreares: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the annexed sume of three pounds,

Bennett,
Best,
masters of
workes.

Crown rent.

Process.
Exchequer.

Royal
letters.

Fees.

Expendi-
ture.

1665. fifteene shillings, sterling, be forthwith paid unto the m. 68.
 Richard petitioners by Richard Lord, goldsmith, out of such
 Lord, money as remaineth in his hands upon the account of the
 agency, and that the petitioners receipt for the same
 shalbe sufficient to have the same allowed the said Mr.
 Lord upon his account; the said money to be paid by
 order of the said committee of agency.

1665, December 29.

m. 69.

Grant to It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of
 Duke of this present assembly, that his grace James duke of
 Ormonde. Ormonde shall have a fee farme for ever upon one plott
 Oxman- or parcell of ground scittuate, lying and being on Oxman-
 townne towne Greene, Dublin, conteyning seaven acres, Irish
 Green. plantation measure, being on the west parte thereof in
 Measure- length from the south towards the north twelve perches,
 ment. butting and bounding on that parcell or slipp of ground
 left for a way, which way is bounded on the west with
 a parcell of the said Oxmantowne Greene, separated
 from it by a trench or rill between two banckes, and the
 said parcell of land is further bounded on the north to
 Grange the lands of Grange Gormon, being from the west
 Gormon. towards the east in length fifty six perches and a halfe, or
 thereabouts, on the easte to the common parte of the said
 Oxmantowne Green, being from north towards the south,
 thirty three perches and a halfe, or thereabouts, and on
 the south, unto the road or highway bounding upon the
 river Annaliffy, containeing from the east towards the
 west forty seaven pearches and a halfe, or thereabouts,
 Gloves. at the rent of a paire of gloves to the Lord Maior for
 the time being, upon New Yeares day yearly, and that
 such other covenants, clauses and conditions be incerted
 in the said deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt.

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1665-6. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1665.

m. 70.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
 the said assembly, shewing that whereas his gracious

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majestie that now is and his royal father, of ever blessed memory, out of their free grace and bounty, have granted from time to time many eminent favors for the benefitt and advantage of this citty, and whereas his gracious majestie that now is, haveing taken into his princely consideration the humble desires of the Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of this citty, hath by his letters pattents granted an annuity or pension of five hundred pounds, sterling, to the Maior and Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of this citty, and their successors for ever, for the better supporte of the magistracy of this citty.¹ All which the petitioners taking into their serious consideration, and alsoe considering that the Maioralty of this citty should be supported and maintained with that dignity and splendor which is suitable to the said gracious concessions of his majesty, and as the petitioners conceived it to be the expectation of his said majestie, and alsoe of his grace the lord duke of Ormonde and counsell heere, by the meanes of whose favor the petitioners did obtaine that and many other of their said concessions and grants for the benefitt and honor of this citty, that the said yearly annuity should be employed by this citty to that end; and forasmuch as sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, now Lord Maior of this citty, as hee hath beene soe is hee like to be at extraordinary charges in supporting the dignity of that office for this present yeare, this being the first yeare wherein the petitioners are to receive the effects of his majesties most gracious favors in his said particuler grant of the said annuity of five hundred pounds per annum; the petitioners therefore humbly praied that the said Lord Maior might have and receive the said sune of five hundred pounds for the better support of the dignity of Mayoralty for this present yeare: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority, of the said assembly that the honorable the Lord Maior that now is shall have and receive five

1665-6.
Charles II.
Charles I.

Letters
patent.
Annuity to
city.

Mayoralty.
Maintenance
Dignity.

Duke of
Ormonde.

Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham, Lord
Mayor.

Grant.

¹ See vol. i., p. 48.

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hundred pounds, sterling, out of the pension or annuity granted unto this citty by his majesties letters pattents, thereby the better to support the dignity of Mayoralty of this citty, and that upon receipt thereof the treasurer of this citty shall have the same allowed him upon his account. The said five hundred pounds to be paid to the Lord Maior or his assignes. Roll xiv.
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Water-
course of
citty.Committee.
Accounts.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the committee appointed for the affaire of the watercourse of this citty was by an act of the last Michaelmas assembly ordered to determine att this present assembly ; but forasmuch as severall matters were still in debate before the said committee, and for that the accounts of the said watercourse could not be perfected to be brought to this present assembly, to the end that the said affaire might be ordered and disposed of for the benefitt of this citty as this assembly should thinck fitt ; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that the former committee appointed by act of assembly for the said affaire might be further impowred and authorized by this present assembly to continue a committee and to order the affaires of the said watercourse untill such further time as this assembly should thinck fitt : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon by the authority of the said assembly that the former committee for ordering and regulating of the affaires of the watercourse, and the officers by them employed in the said affaire doe act and be continued a committee as formerly untill this next Easter assembly.

Orders.

Regula-
tions.

Officers.

Lord
Mayor.Reception
of Duke of
Ormonde.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the right honorable the Lord Maior of this citty, for the honor and dignity of the citty in the joyfull reception of his grace, the lord duke of Ormonde, unto this citty on his late returne out of the kingdome of England, did expend and lay out the sune of one hundred pounds,

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eightene shillings, and six pence, sterling, for wine, fire-
workes and other expences, pursuant to an order of the
board of aldermen; the petitioners therefore humbly
praied an order of this assembly to satisfy the said Lord
Maior the said sune of one hundred pounds, eightene
shillings, six pence, soe expended by him for the use of
this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority aforesaid, that the auditors of the citty
doe state the accompt of the said expence and report
the same to the Lord Maior, whoe is to give his warrants
to the treasurer for the payment of the same thereupon.

1665-6.
Expendi-
ture.
Wine.
Fireworks.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas
the state of the revenue of this citty, by occasion of the
late times of warr and other calamities in this kingdome,
is become soe uncertaine and obscure, that the threasurer
of this citty cannott duly collect and gather the rents due
unto the citty; and the rentall of the citty soe confused,
that there are severall uncertaine and unresponsible
charges doe remaine therein which are alwaies charged
on the treasurers accompts, to the greate incumbrance
not only of the accomptants, but alsoe of the clerke in
givinge of the treasurers charge, and of the citty auditors
in perfecting the said accompts; and whereas there have
beene severall actes of assembly of this citty impowring
certaine committees to purge the rentall of this citty,
that all unnecessary and impertinent charges might be
struck out, and a perfect charge made of responsible rents
which hath beene hitherto delayed by reason of the
extraordinary paines to be taken therein, and noe con-
sideration provided for the satisfying the persons whoe
should perfect soe good a worke; the premisses
considered, the petitioners humbly praied that some able
and fitt persons might be imploied by this citty to purge
the rentall of this citty, and order the affaires of the
revenue of this citty as this assembly should thinck fitt,
and that the said persons might have a certaine allow-

City
revenue.
War.

Collection
of rents.

Charges.

Commit-
tees.

Rents.

Rental of
citty.

1665-6.	ance out of the treasury of this citty for their paines to be taken therein: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the	Roll xiv m. 70.
Aldermen.	Lord Maior, the Sheriffes, Alderman Tighe, Alderman Wybrants, Alderman Quine, Alderman Reader, and eight of the commons, to be named by the commons, be and are heerby authorized to take the petition into their consideration, and order the affaires of the revenue of this citty, and take the accompts of the treasurers of this citty with what speed they cann, and the persons whoe take paines heerin are to be satisfied for their paines as	
Commons.	the assembly shall thinck fitt. The names of the commons are Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. Josua Allen, Mr. Robert Mead, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. John Smith, and Mr. John Sargeant.	
Johnston.	[5.] Whereas alsoe Gilbert Johnston, shoemaker, petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittizens of this citty, by their deed indented beareing date the three and twentieth day of Aprill, in the yeare of our Lord God 1658, were then pleased to grant unto the petitioner a	m 70 b.
St. James' cross.	plott of ground, being a little lane on the right hand of the highway leading from Saint James Crosse to Bow-	
Bow bridge	bridge, for the terme of sixty one yeares, att the yearely rent of two and twenty shillings, sterling, as by the said deed might appeare, and the petitioner had expended above a hundred pounds, sterling, in improveing of the	
Baron of Santry.	premisses; that the right honorable James, lord barron of Santry, ¹ pretending an interest in the premisses, had sealed his letter of ejectment thereon in order to the tryall of the tytle thereof, soe that the peti-	
Title.	tioner by reason of that disturbance could not proceed to the improvement of the premisses, but was like to be totally ejected from the same, unless defended therein by this assembly, which would be to the peti-	
Disturb- ance.	tioners utter ruine; the premisses considered, the peti-	
Improve- ment.		

¹ See page 226.

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m. 70 b.

tioner humbly praied that some course might be laid in 1665-6.
this assembly for defending the said suite at law com- Suit.
menced for the tryall of the tytle of the said ground,
that the petitioner might be maintained in his possession
of the same as formerly: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that
the agent of the citty of Dublin doe from time to time Agent of
assist the petitioner in the defence of his tytle to the city.
premisses in the said petition mentioned, the same to be
done at the citty charge.

[6.] Whereas alsoe William Harvye petitioned unto William
the said assembly, shewing that whereas hee had bin Harvye.
imployed these severall yeares last past to collect and
gather the tolle of the markt of this citty, wherein hee Toll of
had taken greate paines and care, and given his constant market
attendance thereunto, and the petitioner being not Account.
hitherto called to accompt for the same, stands charged
with the profitts of the tolle received by him the said
yeares; the premisses considered, and forasmuch as hee
had not as yet any allowance for his said paines taken
in and about the premisses, the said petitioner therefore
humbly praied that this assembly would be pleased to
lay downe some course whereby hee might be called to
accompt for the said tolle received by him as aforesaid,
that hee might noe longer stand charged therewith, and
that hee might have allowance for his paines therein, Allowance.
and a certaine sallary for the time to come, if this citty Salary.
should think fitt to continue him in the said imploy-
ment: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner be
called to accompt for the severall yeares hee received the
toll of the markt, as in the petition is desired, before
the Lord Maior, Sherriifes and such other person or
persons as the Lord Maior shall please to calle to his
assistance, and to report the same to the next assembly, Report.
and also what they thinck fitt to bee allowed the peti-
tioner for his paines taken in and about the premises.

1665-6.
Lovett,
Sheriff.

England.

Absence.

[7.] Whereas, alsoe, Walter Fullam, servant to Mr. Christopher Lovett, one of the Sherriffes of this citty, petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that his said master, Christopher Lovett, haveing extraordinary occasions into the kingdome of England, which will require his personall attendance there, and for that hee must of necessity suffer extraordinary prejudice if not permitted by this assembly to attend his affaires there for some time, which nobody could sollicit but himselfe ; the petitioner therefore humbly praied that his said master, Mr. Christopher Lovett, might have leave from this honorable assembly, notwithstanding his present imployment, to attend his said affaires in England, which the necessity of the occasion doth require ; it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said Christopher Lovett have the liberty to be absent hence for the time of three months, notwithstanding his present imployment. *

Poor
widows
of city.

[8.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Katherine Jones, widow, shall have the place of one of the six poore widdowes of this citty in the place and stead of Alice Roach, widdow, deceased, dureing her naturall life, and receive the same allowance which the rest of the said widdowes receive.

Arrundell.

St. Nicholas' Gate.

[9.] That Robert Arrundell, tanner, shall have a lease, for the terme of ninety nine yeares, of a parcell of ground scituatt without Saint Nicholas Gate, formerly sett to John Everton, skinner, on the petitioners behalfe, at the yearely rent of tenn shillings, sterling, to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of the citty ; the said terme to commence at Michaelmas last, and the petitioner paying the arreares due unto the citty on the premisses, and surrendring the former lease of the same unto the citty, and paying unto the Lord Maior of this citty for the time being a couple of fatt capons yearely, over and above what is reserved on the former lease of the premisses.

Roll xiv.
m. 70 b.

Roll xiv.
m. 71 b.

[10.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned 1665-6.
unto the said assembly praying that the sword-bearer ^{Sword}
might be pitcht upon to be master of the ceremonies of ^{bearer.}
this citty of Dublin: it is therefore ordered and agreed ^{Master of}
upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said sword ^{ceremonies.}
bearer be and is heerby appointed master of the cere- ^{City of}
monies according to the antient custome of the said ^{Dublin.}
citty, who is to prepare a note of those ceremonies, and to
present the same to the next assembly.

m. 71.

[11.] Mr. Josua Allen is elected and chosen alderman ^{Aldermen.}
in the place and stead of Alderman Thomas Waterhouse, ^{Allen.}
deceased.

Mr. Francis Brewster is elected and chosen alderman ^{Brewster.}
in the place and stead of sir Hubert Adrian Verveer,¹
knight, alderman, deceased.

Mr. Nathaniell Fowkes is elected and chosen alderman ^{Fowkes.}
in the place and stead of Robert Mills, alderman.

Mr. Daniell Wybrants is elected and chosen alderman ^{Wybrants.}
in the place and stead of Daniell Wybrants, alderman,
deceased.

m. 69.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

1665-6, February 9.

m. 71.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred a
petition to the said assembly, setting forth that the
lady Margarett, viscountess dowager Massareene, had ^{Viscountess}
preferred a bill, before the chancellor, treasurer and ^{Massareene.}
barrons of his majesties courte of exchequer, against
the petitioners, concerneing a parcell of land scittuatt
in Oxmantowne, called Lough Boy, formerly granted ^{Oxman-}
by this citty unto the right honorable John, lord ^{town.}
viscount Massareene, deceased,² and his heires for ever, ^{Lough Boy}
and hath served the petitioners with the subpena of the
said courte to answer the said bill, which will require
some speedy course to be taken therein for the security

¹ Written also: Verner, Verneer.

² See p. 287.

- 1665-6. of this honorable citty; the petitioners therefore most Roll xiv.
m. 71.
humbly praied the said assembly that some course might
be laid downe in the said assembly for the defending
the said suite and solliciting the same, that soe the citty
might be preserved from any danger that might ensue
thereby: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, that Mr. Richard Lord be
and is heerby appointed agent to sollicite the affaire in
the petition mentioned, whoe is heerby authorized to take
care of the said suite and to reteyne counsell and attornies
in the said cause, and that hee be furnished with money
from time to time out of the treasury of this citty to be
disbursed in the said cause; and that the Lord Maiors
warrant and Mr. Lords acquittance shalbe a sufficient
warrant and discharge to the treasurer of this citty for
the same, and that the said agent doe attend the com-
mittee of agency whoe are heerby authorized to take care
of the said affaire, and the said agent is to receive
instructions from them as they shall thincke fitt to give
from time to time; and that the said committee of agency
or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of
the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, be and are heerby
desired to resurvey the said land of Logh Boy, and view
the former deeds of the said ground, and to report the
same unto the next assembly.
- Kirkeham, [2.] Whereas alsoe Thomas Kirkeham and William
Brookes, late masters of the citty workes, preferred their
petition unto the said assembly, thereby desiring to be
reimbursed the sune of twelve pounds, two shillings,
sterling, which did appeare by a bill of costs annexed to
the said petition to have beene expended by them for the
vacating of severall presentments against them in the
kings bench for the broken pavements of this citty: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe pay the
said sune of twelve pounds, two shillings, sterling, unto
the petitioners upon the Lord Maiors warrant.
- Present-
ments.

Roll xiv.
m. 72.1666.¹ Second Friday after Easter.²

1666.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned to the said assembly, shewing that they well observing the prudent care and affection that the now Lord Maior hath to this citty, and in particular his procuring the grant of his sacred majesty to this citty of five hundred pounds, sterling, per annum, to be put into the establishment for this kingdome of Ireland, and considering the very vast charge that his lordship hath been and is like to be at, in the support of the dignity of Lord Maior, the said commons could not otherwise signify their gratefullnesse to him then to become humble petitioners, praying that the halfe yeares annuity being two hundred and fifty pounds due at Michaelmas next by his majesties said graunt may be graunted unto his lordship: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said halfe yeares annuity, being two hundred and fifty pounds due at Michaelmas next, as aforesaid, be and is hereby granted unto the said Lord Maior.

Lord
Mayor.
Royal
grant.Support of
dignity.

Annuity.

Grant.

[2.] Whereas also certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the committee appointed by act of assembly for the affaire of the watercourse of this citty is, by an act of the last Christmas assembly, to determine this present assembly, but forasmuch as it will be requisite to continue the power of the said committee in regard the businesse of the said affaire will be dayly in debate; the said commons therefore humbly prayed an order of this assembly to continue the said committee until such further as this assembly would thinck fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said committee bee and continue for three yeares unles the same bee hereafter altered by act of assembly.

Committee

Water-
course.Continua-
tion.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned

¹ 18 Charles II.² Easter-day, 15 April, 1666.

1666.	unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas sir George	Roll xiv. m. 72.
Sir George Lane.	Lane, ¹ knight, hath beene often solicitous to promote	
Services to city.	whatsoever might tend to the benefit and advantage of this citty, and particularly hath been att greate paines in procureing his majesties concessions and gracious favours lately bestowed on this citty, soe that the said petitioners did humbly thinck it necessary that some remembrance of the cittyes gratitude be presented unto the said sir George Lane, in thankfulness of his many solicitations in behalfe of this citty ; the said commons therefore humbly prayed that some course might be laid downe in this assembly to bestow on the said sir George	
Remembrance.	Lane a gratuity suitable to his care and meritts in the premisses: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior and the Sheriffs, and such as they shall call to their	
Gratuity.	assistance, doe contract for two or three of the lotts on Oxmantowne Greene that doe lye contiguous, to the end that the same may be presented to the said Sir George Lane as a marke of this cittys gratitude to the said sir George Lane, and that they report the same to the next assembly.	
Lots.	[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed uppon, by the	
Oxmantowne Greene. Presentation.	authority aforesaid, that sir William Usher, knight, shall have a fee farme to him and his heires for ever of a wast peece of land lying behind the howse of Alderman John Forrest, next the river Annaliffy, which leadeth to the wall of the said sir William Ushers howse, contayning from the Bridge gate twelve yards upon the Bridge in breadth northwards, in length from the said Bridge gate westward by the side of sir William Ushers wall and howse parting Alderman John Forrest his holding seaventy yards or thereabouts, and at the west end from the sowth towards the north into the river one and twenty yards next adjoyninge to the lane alreddy lett to the said sir William Usher by this citty, at the yearly	
Sir William Usher.		
Forrest. Liffey.		
Bridge gate. Wall.		
Lane.		

¹ See p. 318.

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m. 72.

rent of forty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the 1666.
threasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, and alsoe
a couple of fat capons yearely to the Lord Maior of the
citty for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu
thereof, the petitioner surrendring Alderman Forrests
lease of the premisses to this citty, and that such clauses,
covenants and provisoes bee incerted in the said deed as
Mr. Recorder shall thincke fitt.

[5.] Whereas alsoe sir William Aston, knight, second Sir William Aston.
justice of his majesties courte of chiefe place, petitioned
to the said assembly, shewing that whereas this citty in
Midsomer assembly last were pleased to graunt unto the
petitioner a small peece of ground betwixt the citty City wall.
wall and the streete wall fronting on the petitioners
howse by the milldamme neere Sheepestreete, att the Mill dam.
Sheep
street.
yearely rent of tenne shillings, sterling, and a couple of
fatt capons: now, forasmuch as the said peece of ground
is of noe other use unto the petitioner but to widen the
streete soe that there may be roome to turne the
petitioners coach in goeing out and returninge into his Coach
said howse, it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by
the authority aforesaid, that the said rent of tenn
shillings, sterling, yearely, be reduced to a couple of fatt
capons yearely, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof,
to the Lord Maior of the citty, for the time being, the
same being for the generall good of the citty to have the
said street widened as aforesaid, as alsoe in the cittyes
respect to the petitioner.

m. 72 b.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Josua Allen and Francis Brewster, Allen,
Brewster,
masters of
works.
masters of the citty workes, petitioned unto the said
assembly, shewing that they have expended the summe
of four score pounds, sterling, for the repairing the
broken pavements in Saint Thomas streete and other Pavements.
St. Thomas'
street.
ruinous places of this citty; and therefore humbly prayed
that some course might be laid downe in this assembly
for the satisfying the petitioners the said summe soe
expended by them as aforesaid: it is therefore ordered Expendi-
ture.

1666.	and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, Roll xiv m. 72 d.
Auditors.	that it be and is hereby referred to the auditors of this citty to adjust the accompts of the petitioners, and on the accompt stated, that the Lord Maior doe issue forth his warrant to the treasurer for the time being to pay the same to the petitioners, whose acquittance, together with the said warrant, shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the same.
Nathaniel Fookes. Ferries. Liffey.	[7.] It is likewise ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Nathaniell Fookes, alderman, shall have a lease of the ferries over the river Analiffy for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, the same to com- mence from and after letters pattents be passed of the same to this citty, provided the said letters pattents be passed to this citty within three yeares, the petitioner, his executors and administrators yeelding and paying the yearly rent of tenn pounds, sterling, to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of the citty, and that dureing the said three yeares the petitioner be freed and exonerated from any rent to be due by him for the said three yeares, and the petitioner is to be at charges in the recovery of the premisses and the passing the said letters pattents to the citty.
Letters patent.	
Rent.	
Totty. Sargeant.	[8.] That alderman John Totty and John Sargeant, merchant, shall have a lease, to commence at Michaelmas next, on parcell of wast ground neere adjoyning to Hamons lane, containing in length from east to west along the highway leading from Oxmantowne to Kilmaineham bridge eight perches, and in breath at the east end fower perches and eight foote, and in the west end the like number of fower perches and eight foote, which said lane adjoyneth to a parcell of ground formerly demised by this citty to the late lord cheife justice Lowther, ¹ at the yearly rent of forty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty; and
Hamons lane.	
Oxman- towne. Kilmain- ham.	
Chief Justice Lowther.	

¹ See vol. iii., pp. 319, 321. Sir Gerard Lowther, chief justice common pleas,

Ireland, died in April, 1660, and was buried in St. Michan's church, Dublin.

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m. 72 b.

that such clauses, covenants and provisoes be therein ^{1666.}
incerted as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt; provided that
this graunt shall not intrench on the present highway.

[9.] That George Surdevile, taylor, shall have a lease ^{Surdevile.}
for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence att
Michaelmas next, on a wast peece of ground in Oxman- ^{Oxman-}
towne neere unto Youngs Castle, bounding in the east ^{towne.}
to the greate streete leadinge to Youngs Castle, being ^{Youngs}
from sowth toward the north twenty five yards and a ^{castle.}
halfe, on the north to William Bell and Peter Ward their
lotts, from east toward the west seaventy yards and
two foote to Bowlane, in the west from the north ^{Bow lane.}
towards the sowth forty nine yards and two foote, and
in the sowth by or neere the land belonging unto the
corporation of the Taylors one and twenty yards, and in ^{Corpora-}
the east againe to the ground formerly Katherine Strongs,¹ ^{tion of}
from the sowth towards the north two and twenty yardes, ^{tailors.}
and in the north againe by the land formerly Katherine ^{Katherine}
Strongs from the west towards the east forty nine yards, ^{Strong.}
ending att the place where the bound began to be
bounded, att the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, to
be payed to the treasurer of this citty for the use of
the citty, and that such clauses, covenants and provisoes
be incerted in the lease as the recorder shall thinck fitt,
as alsoe a couple of fat capons at Christmas yearely, or
five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, to the Lord Maior
of the citty for the time being.

[10.] That Christopher Bennett, merchant, shall have ^{Christopher}
a lease, for tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at ^{Bennett.}
Michaelmas next, on a parcell of ground parte of the
towne ditch on the west side of the citty wall leading ^{Ditch.}
towards sir William Ushers, containing in length from ^{Wall.}
north to south along the citty wall three score and ^{Sir William}
fifteene yards, and at the north end in breadth from the ^{Usher,}
citty wall to a quicksett hedge neere sir William Usshers ^{Hedge.}
garden thirteene yards and two foote, and at the sowth ^{Garden.}

¹ See vol. iii., p. xxii.

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Peerce.

end in breadth from the citty wall to a little howse lately built, wherein one William Peerce now liveth, fowerteene yards and two foote, and in length from north to sowth at the west side the like number of threescore and fifteene yards, att the yearely rent of fowerteene pounds sterling; and that such clauses, covenants and provisoes bee incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt; the said rent to be payed to the treasurer of the citty for the time being for the use of the citty; and alsoe that a cowple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, be paid yearly to the Lord Maior of the citty for the time being. Roll xiv.
m. 72 b.

Main guard
in city.

[11.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that there wanteth a house of easement for the main guard in this citty, and it being very convenient to have such a howse provided for the said main guard, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to lay downe some course in this assembly for the providing of a howse of office for the said main guard: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority aforesaid, that the contents of the said petition be referred to the Lord Maior and the Sherriffes, and such others of the members of this citty as the Lord Maior shall thinck fitt to call to his assistance, to consider of a convenient place for an howse of easement, and that the Lord Maiors warrant for the preparing of such a place shall be a sufficient discharge for such some of money as shalbe found necessary for the same.

Chabenor,
sword-
bearer.

[12.] Whereas alsoe Thomas Chabenor, swordbearer, m. 73. petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that he for severall years last past served this honorable citty in the capacity of swordbearer, and hath had but a very small sallary allowed for his care, paines and attendance in the said service; and forasmuch as it hath beene and will be expected that the petitioner should comporte himselfe accordinge to his place to the credit of the citty,

Roll xiv.
m. 73.

which hee is not by the sallary now allowed him enabled ^{1666.} to doe and performe; the petitioner therefore humbly ^{Salary.} prayed this assembly to graunt him such an augmentation of sallary for the necessary support of his place as the assembly should thinck fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners sallary bee from henceforth the <sup>Augmenta-
tion.</sup> yearly summe of twenty five pounds, sterling.

[13.] Whereas alsoe Thomas Mallory, clerke, now <sup>Thomas
Mallory.</sup> minister of Maglare,¹ petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by the death of William Brereton, late ^{Brereton.} viccarr of Tadough, in the county of Kildare, the said ^{Tadough.} viccaradge is become void; and forasmuch as the ^{Vicarage.} petitioner is informed that the presentation of a viccar to supply the said vacancy lyes in the cittyes dispose, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assembly to graunt the presentation of the said place unto him, he performing the conditions and covenants which the ^{Conditions.} said Brereton was bound by this citty to performe: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be presented to the said viccarage, hee performeing the conditions and covenants which the said Brereton was by the citty bound to performe.

[14.] Pursuant to a letter from his grace, the lord <sup>Letter from
Duke of
Ormonde</sup> duke of Ormonde, which followeth in these words:—

‘To our trusty and welbeloved, sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, Lord Maior and the aldermen, Sherriffs, commons, and cittizens of the citty of Dublin these :

‘After our very hearty commendations to your lordship, etc. Takeing notice that by custome and your charter you are this day to proceede to the election of the <sup>Election of
Lord
Mayor.</sup> Lord Maior of this citty for the ensueing yeare, and haveing considered with what prudence, faithfulness and ability sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, the present Lord Maior, hath approved himselfe to his majestie and

¹ Moyglare, Meath.

1666. his people in the discharge of that office this yeare, and how much we conceive it may be for his majesties service and the good and safety of this kingdome if such a magistrate were continued for one yeare more; we thought fitt (as we doe heereby) to recommend it to you as a worke which will be very acceptable unto us that the said sir Daniell Bellingham be persuaded to permitt his being elected Lord Maior for one yeare more. Roll xiv.
m. 73.
- Recommendation.
- Election.

And soe we bid your lordship, etc., very hearty farewell. From his majesties castle of Dublin, this seven and twentieth day. of Aprill, 1666.

Your lordships very loveing friend, Ormonde.'

Sir Daniel Bellingham, Lord Mayor. It is ordered and agreed upon that sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, now Lord Maior of this citty, be and is hereby elected Lord Maior of this citty for the ensuing yeare, nemine contradicente.

Sheriffs. [15.] Mr. Robert Mead and Mr. Philip Castleton are chosen and elected Sherriffes for the next ensuing yeere.

Franchise. Admissions to franchise.

m. 71 b.

1666. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

m. 74.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by an act of the last Christmas assembly there was a committee appointed and authorized to take care of the estate of the revenue of this citty, and take the threasurers accounts, and an order for the satisfying such persons for their paines who should be carefull therein as the assembly should thinck fitt; but forasmuch as there is noe quorum appointed by the said act of assembly soe that nothing could be don therein unlesse the full number of the said committee appeared; the petitioners therefore humbly prayed an order of this assembly, whereby any five or other number of the said committee might be impowered to take care of the said affaire, that soe the said businesse may be dispatched for the good of this citty: it is there-

Committee.

Revenue of city.

Treasurer's accounts.

Roll xiv.
m. 74.

fore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority of the ^{1666.} said assembly, that the said committee, or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be always two, be and are hereby authorized to act and doe as in the said act of assembly is ordered and appointed.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that in Easter assembly last there passed an act of assembly of this citty for establishing and impowering the committee of the water of this citty to continue a committee as formerly for ^{Committee. Water of city.} three yeares; but soe it is that there was noe overseer nor collector nominated and appointed by the said act of assembly; and forasmuch as the maine pipe wants severall reparations and a yeares rent more is in arreare ^{Main pipe.} upon the severall inhabitants of this citty, who enjoyed ^{Rent. Arrears.} the benefitt of the water; the said commons therefore humbly prayed a course to be laid downe in this assembly that the former overseer and collector might be established dureing the said tearme of three yeares, to the end the maine pipe may be repaired, and the arreares of rent received, which may conduce much to ^{Repairs.} the benefitt of the citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Richard Lord, goldsmith, be and is hereby authorized and impowred to oversee the said affaire of the water- ^{Richard Lord. Water-course.} course of this citty dureing the continuance of the said committee, and to give his accounts as formerly was ordered by act of assembly, and to collect all arrears and accruing rents due or to be due unto the citty for ^{Collection.} the said water.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the staires which lead upp to the Tholsell of this citty are soe steep and narrow, and alsoe gone to decay, that the cittizens ^{Tholsel stairs.} of this citty cannot passe upp and downe without greate danger of falling, soe that there is great necessity of ^{Danger}

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repairing and amending the same ; the petitioners there-
fore humbly prayed that this assembly would be pleased
to lay downe some course whereby the said staircase
might be repaired or altered : it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that
the contents of the above petition be referred to the

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m. 74.Masters of
works.

Lord Maior, the Sherriffes and masters of the workes,
and they to call to their assistance such as they shall
thinck fitt, who are desired to take care to alter and
amend the said staircase as they shall thinck fitt, and
that the Lord Maiors warrant to the thresurer of this
citty shall be a sufficient warrant to the threasurer for
the payment of such summe or summes of money as
shall be found necessary for the altering or amending
the same.

Sir James
Ware.

[4.] Whereas alsoe sir James Ware, knight, petitioned
unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the Maior,
Sheriffs, commons and cittizens of this citty, by their
deed indented bearing date the fowerth Fryday next
after the Nativity of Saint John Baptist, in the yeare of
our Lord, 1598, did demise unto John Weston, merchant,
the land called Cowlane,¹ with the appurtenances, for
terme of ninety nine yeares, att tenn shillings, six pence,
sterling, per annum, and that the said Weston sold his
interest and tearme of yeares of parte of the premisses
unto the petitioner, to witt, soe much thereof being the
howse and garden wherein one John Sheale sometimes
dwelt, and wherein sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, Lord
Maior of this citty, now dwelleth, and which your
petitioner demised unto the said Lord Maior, in which
premisses there is yet to come the tearme of thirty foure
yeares or thereabouts ; and now, forasmuch as the said
Lord Maior hath laid out a greate summe of mony in
improveing of the premisses and building his house
thereon, the petitioner humbly prayed this assembly to

Weston.

Cow lane.

Sheale

Sir Daniel
Bellingham,
Lord
Mayor.

Building.

¹ See vol. ii., p. 319.

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graunt him a lease of the premisses for the tearme of 1666.
ninety nine yeares, hee surrendering his former interest
in the same, and that in consideration of the said Lord
Maiors greate disbursements in improveing of the
premisses: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by
the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner
have a lease of the premisses for the tearme of ninety
nine yeares, to commence att Michaelmas next, att the
yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to
the theasurer of this citty uppon surrender of his
former interest of the premisses to the citty; provided
that the petitioner permitt the said sir Daniell Belling-
ham to have a further lease of the premisses for the
tearime of ninety one yeares att the same rent now
reserved unto the petitioner out of the said premisses,
and the said sir Daniell paying unto him, the said
petitioner, the said increase of rent; and that such
clauses and covenants be inserted in the said lease as
Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt. And it is further ordered
that the petitioner doe pay as a fine unto this citty a
dozen of silver plates to follow the sword, the same to be
worth noe lesse then threescore pounds, sterling, and
that the same plates be allowed and paid for unto the
said petitioner by the said sir Daniell Bellingham.

Disburse-
ments.

Fine.
Silver
plates.

Sword.

m. 74 b.

[5.] Whereas John Rice, servant to Mr. John Quelsh,
one of the Sherriffes of this citty, petitioned unto the
said assembly, shewing that the petitioner hath by order
from his said master, disbursed the summe of nine
pounds, one shilling and three pence, sterling, for chaines
and bolts for secureing the prisoners now remaining
in his majesties gaole of Newgate, as appeared by
a bill annexed to the said petition, which was a worke
necessary to be done for the good of this citty, the
petitioner humbly prayed an allowance of the said
summe: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the
authority aforesaid, that the said petitioner be allowed
for his said master the said sume of nine pounds, one

Rice.
Quelsh.

Chains.

Bolts.
Prisoners.
Newgate,

1666.

shilling and three pence, sterling, to be paid by the treasurer of this citty, and that the Lord Maiors warrant shall be a sufficient discharge to the threasurer for the same to have the said summe allowed him upon his account, the said petitioner produceing the masters of the workes certificate that the said worke is done.

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m. 74 b.Masters of
works.John
Nicholas.St.
Stephen's
Green.
Lot.Measure-
ment.

Deeds.

[6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that John Nicholas, merchant, shall have a fee farme, to him and his heires for ever, uppon one plott or parcell of ground scituate, lyeing and being on the west end of Saint Stephens Greene, being the eighteenth lott, and a triangular lott containing the number of fourscore and twelve foote in the square, according to the former deeds granted of the lotts of Saint Stephens Greene, uppon such rents and covenants proportionably as is contained in the said former deeds; and that the petitioner be reimbursed the sume of seaven pounds, sterling, or soe much as there shall appeare to be paid as a fine for the said lott by the threasurer appointed by act of assembly to receive the said fines, the petitioner surrendering his former deed of the premisses unto the citty.

Lovett,
gaoler.

Escape.

Newgate.

Price.

Execution.

[7.] Whereas John Lovett, goaler of this citty, petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by the late accident of the escape of Richard Price, late prisoner in his majesties goale of Newgate, this citty was pleased to suspend the petitioner from executing the said place of gaoler of this citty, which if continued, would be to the ruine of the petitioner and his family; and forasmuch as the said Price hath beene since apprehended and executed; the premisses considered, and for that the petitioner hath taken great pains in the said imployment for the service of the citty, and for the future would be diligent to discharge the trust reposed in him by this assembly, if this assembly should thinck fitt to receive him once againe into their favour; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed that this assembly

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m. 74 b

would be pleased to establish him into his said imploy-^{1666.}
ment of gaoler of this citty, hee behaving himselfe ^{Gaoler of}
therein as is meete: it is therefore ordered and agreed ^{citty.}
uppon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
petitioner be continued in his said imployment untill
Easter assembly next, hee giving a thousand pounds ^{Security.}
security to save the citty harmelesse.

[8.] Whereas alsoe Thomas Kirkham and William ^{Masters of}
Brookes, late masters of the citty workes, petitioned ^{works.}
unto the said assembly, shewing that the petitioners
were imployed by act of assembly as masters of the citty
workes for the building of the pesthowses att the island ^{Pest houses.}
of Clantarfe for the reception of passengers and goods ^{Clontarf.}
which should come into this harbour from any partes ^{Harbour.}
beyond the seas suspected to be infected with the plague, ^{Plague.}
in which the petitioners have disbursed severall sumes
of money, and alsoe in repairing the high wayes neere
Dolphins Barne and St. Patrick's Well, and other broken ^{Dolphins}
pavements belonging to this citty, for which the peti- ^{barn.}
tioners have received severall sums of mony by order of ^{St.}
the assemblys, and there are severall summs of money ^{Patrick's}
yet in arreare to the petitioners; the petitioners there- ^{Well.}
fore humbly prayed that this assembly would be pleased
to lay downe some course for the calling the petitioners
to accompt, and for reimburseing the petitioners such ^{Account.}
summes of money as shall be found to be due unto the
petitioners upon their said accompts: it is therefore
ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority of the said
assembly, that a petition be preferred to his grace the
lord duke [of Ormonde] and counsell, in the name of the ^{Duke of}
Lord Mayor, Sherriffes, commons and cittizens of this ^{Ormonde.}
citty, to supplicate his grace that the out liberties of this ^{Liberties.}
citty may be compelled to pay their share of the said
money assessed on them for the erecting the said howses ^{Erections.}
on the island of Clantarfe, and that the petitioners doe ^{Assess-}
account before the auditors of this citty, and what sume ^{ment.}
of money shall be found in arreare to the petitioners,

1666. the same to be paid to them out of the said money soe Roll xiv.
m. 74 b.
Collection. to be collected. And it is further ordered that it be likewise supplicated to his grace that an order may be procured to collecte that parte of the money assessed on the said out liberties for the account of the fire and candlelight of this citty.

m. 75.
Birne. [9.] Whereas alsoe Daniell Birne and Thomas King
King. petitioned unto the said assembly, showing that they
formerly made a discovery of a small parcell of
land neere Andrews Folly to belong to this citty,
Andrews' and by act of assembly were to have preferrence
Folly. to the tenancie, with consideration had to the
discovery. discovery, or to receive the first three yeares rent the
same should be sett for as it growes due; now, soe it is,
Sale. that the said land was putt to canting, and a lease granted
Phillpott. thereof to Mr. Nathaniell Phillpott att six pounds per
annum, and that there is due an halfe yeare att our Lady
[day] last; the petitioners humbly prayed that this assembly
Claim. would be pleased to graunt an order for the said halfe
yeares rent to be paid unto them that is already due,
and for the remainder of the said three yeares to be
ascertained unto them as itt shall grow due, with such
provision as this assembly should thincke fitt for the
tennants discharge as to the citty for soe much of the
said rent: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior, for
the time being, be and is hereby authorized to issue
his warrants unto the treasurer for the payment of the
first three yeares rent of the said land unto the petitioners,
whose receipt shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer
for the same, and that the first three yeares rent for the future
be paid unto all discoverers, according to the former act of assembly,
by the treasurer for the time being upon the Lord Maiors
warrant for the time being.

Rewards to
discoverers.
Bell, Lisle, [10.] Whereas alsoe William Bell and Thomas Lisle,
surgeons. chirurgeons, petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing

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m. 75.

that they, by order from the Lord Maior of this citty, 1666. have beene imployed since Christmas last in the visiting and searching of those that dye suddainly, or of any disease suspected to be infectious, thereby the better to prevent the danger of infection in this citty, which hath beene and still is a worke of greate necessity and generall good and safety unto the whole citty; and forasmuch as the petitioners have taken greate paines and care in the premisses, and as yet have received noe satisfaction for the same, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that this assembly would be pleased to graunt unto them some satisfaction for their paines taken in the premisses, and that they may have a certaine allowance or salary for the future: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners be allowed the summe of tenn pounds, sterling, videlicet, five pounds apeece for their paines and care taken in and about the premisses, the same to be paid them out of the threasury of this citty, and that the Lord Maiors warrant shall be a sufficient warrant to the threasurer for the payment thereof; provided the petitioners doe continue in their said imployment and give an account from time to time unto the Lord Maior, as they shall be required, untill Michaelmas next.

[11.] It is likewise ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that John Cannon be and is hereby elected and chosen sargeant att mace in the place and stead of James Stewart, late officer att mace. deceased.

[12.] John Desminieres, alderman, is chosen and elected Lord Maior of the citty of Dublin for the next ensuing yeare upon a letter from his grace the lord duke of Ormonde, which followeth in these words:—

‘To our trusty and well beloved sir Daniel Bellingham, knight, Lord Maior, and the aldermen, Sherriffs, commons and cittizens of the citty of Dublin, these :

‘After our hearty commendations to your lordship, etc.

1666.

Whereas on the twenty seaventh day of Aprill last, when Roll xiv.
m. 75.

Sir Daniel
Bellingham.

you were to proceede to the election of a Lord Mayor for the insuing yeare, wee did by our letter¹ of that day recommend sir Daniel Bellingham, knight, the present Lord Mayor, for the reasons therein expressed, to be continued for one yeare more, whereupon he was elected to that office accordingly ; for your compliaunce wherein we doe hereby retorne you our very hearty thanks. Neverthelessse, our very good lord, Arthur, earle of Anglesey, his majesties vice treasurer, haveing made knowne to us that the said sir Daniell being his deputy in the receipt of the exchequer, it would be a great hindrance to his majesties service if he should be continued Lord Maior another yeare, and the said sir Daniell haveing alsoe, for reasons made knowne to us, desired to be excused, wee have therefore thought fitt, for the reasons aforesaid (now that wee understand your quarter day for settling of this affaire apprecheth), to withdraw the recommendation by our former letter, and leave you free to doe in this said affaire as if we had not at all interposed. And soe wee bid your lordship, etc., very heartily farewell. From his majesties castle of Dublin, the eighteenth day of July, 1666. Your lordships very loveing friend, Ormonde.'

Earl of
Anglesey,
vice
treasurer.

Dobson.

[13.] Mr. Joseph Dobson, skinner, is chosen and elected Sherriff of this citty for the next ensuing yeare in the stead of Mr. Robert Mead, now discharged of the said place.

Mead.

1666. August 15.—Law's, orders and constitutions:— m. 75 b.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas his grace the lord duke of Ormonde, takeing notice of the many buildings lately made on Oxmantowne Greene, which have taken upp soe much roome there that his majesties horse and foote guards and the citty militia have not conveniency to exercise as formerly, did therefore by his letter,

Duke of
Ormonde.
Oxman-
towne
Greene.

Exercise.

¹ See p. 373.

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m. 75 b.

bearing date the eleventh day of August, instant, 1666.
 especially recommend it to this citty to take present
 order that the ground upon Saint Stephens Greene St.
Stephen's
Green.
 lately walled in be forthwith made fitt for that purpose,
 as by the said letter annexed to the said pètition did
 appeare; and the petitioners (considering it would be a
 worke very acceptable to his grace to comply with his
 desires in the premisses, and a thing which will tend
 much to the advantage and beauty of the citty), did Beauty of
city.
 therefore humbly pray that some course might be laid
 downe in this assembly for the laying the said ground
 smooth and plaine for the uses aforesaid: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority of the said
 assembly, that the said Greene be forthwith levelled and Levelling.
 made smooth for the use in the petition mentioned, att
 the cittyes charge, and that the rent reserved unto the Expendi-
ture.
 citty for the lotts of the said Greene be made over under
 the citty seale as security unto such person or persons as Security.
 shall advance soe much money as shall be found necessary
 for the doing thereof, the said person or persons who
 shall lay out the money to be allowed after the rate of
 eight pounds per centum interest untill the said money Interest.
 soe to be expended be repaid; and that the Lord Maior,
 Sherriffs and masters of the workes for the time being, Masters of
works
 the said Lord Maior and Sherriffs calling to their
 assistance such as they shall think fitt, doe take care of
 the said worke and employ workmen for the doing
 thereof as they shall thinck fitt; and that the person or
 persons who shall soe advance the money as aforesaid doe
 pay it out from time to time on the Lord Maiors warrant Payments.
 for the time being, and that the Lord Maiors warrant
 and the persons receipt to whom such money shall be
 payable by such warrant, be a sufficient warrant unto
 such person or persons as shall soe advance the said
 summe or summes as aforesaid for payment of the same,
 and to charge the citty debtor unto such person or
 persons who shall pay the same by such warrant,

1666. provided the said summe to be expended as aforesaid doe Roll. xiv.
m. 75 b.
Limitation. not exceede a hundred pounds sterling.

Harvy. [2.] Whereas alsoe William Harvy petitioned unto the
said assembly, shewing that there is due unto him twenty
St. Stephen's Greene. Paving. five pounds for paveing done upon St. Stephens Greene,
besides what moneys the petitioner hath already received,
and alsoe thirteene pounds, five shillings, which the
petitioner hath ingaged for the payment thereof unto
Gates. Locks. Peter Ireton, carpenter, being for gates and locks for
Saint Stephens Greene, which the petitioner is dayly
called uppon for ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed
that this assembly would be pleased to lay downe some
course for the satisfying the petitioner the said severall
summes of money: it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
contents of the above petition be and are hereby referred
Committee to the committee of Saint Stephens Greene, who are
hereby impowered and authorized to take the accounts
of the petitioner and of the said worke, and what they
find to be justly due unto the petitioner, the same to be
paid by the threasurer upon the Lord Maiors warrant.

1666, September 14.—Laws, orders and constitutions:— m. 76.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
the said assembly, shewing that whereas the committee,
Oxman-towne Greene. appointed by act of assembly for thé affaire of Oxman-
towne Greene, had disposed of the mony paid into
the hands of Alderman John Desmineeres (being
Lots. the fines of the lotts of the said Greene) for the
Smithfield. paveing of Smithfeild, for the publique good of this
citty, which by acte of assembly of this citty they were
impowered to doe, which said worke is yet not
perfected, nor cann be compleated without a further
supply of mony for finishing the same ; and whereas the
Sir Daniel Bellingham. honorable sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, now Lord
Maior of this citty, hath of himselfe disbursed severall
summes of mony for the paveing of the said Smithfeild

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m. 76.

and erecting a case of stairs in the Thollsell, and for 1666.
divers other good and beneficiall workes now in hand, Tholsel.
which are speedily to be effected ; and whereas the said
sir Daniel Bellingham, in his love and affection for this
citty, is well pleased to disburse further summes of money
for the carrying on the said intended affaires without any
expectation of interest for such summes of money as by
him shall be laid out : it is therefore ordered and agreed
uppon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
thankfull remembrance of them may be treasured upp Remem-
among the rolls of this cittie, that soe the same may be brance.
delivered over to posterity, and that the summe and Rolls of
summes of money which are and shall bee laid out by the city.
said sir Daniell Bellingham in or uppon the premisses be
from time to time audited and adjusted by the Lord Audit.
Maioir and Sheriffs, for the time being, and by Aldermen Aldermen.
Hutchinson, Alderman Cranwell, and Alderman Lewis
Desmineeres, and by six of the commons to be named
by the commons, or any five of them, whereof the Lord
Maioir and one of the Sheriffs for the time being be
allwayes two, and that such summes of money as shall
be by them found due and payable to the said sir
Daniell Bellingham be satisfied and paid by the threa-
surer of this cittie to the said sir Daniell Bellingham or
his assignes by warrant from the Lord Maioir for the
time being, and that the acquittance of the said sir
Daniell shall be a sufficient discharge to the said threa-
surer for the same. The commons are Mr. John East- Commons.
wood, Mr. John Price, Mr. John Sariant, Mr. William
Brookes, Mr. Robert Mead and Mr. George Surdevill.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assembly, shewing that they humbly con-
ceive that, for the benefitt and honour of this antient
citty, it is very necessary that a good sunn diall be Sun dial.
erected on the Bridge of Dublin, which diall your peti- Bridge.
tioners desire may be made by some knowing artist, that
the same may stand to future times for the use of the

1666.

Manage-
ment of
work.

inhabitants of the said citty and others, and that some certaine some of mony be ordered for the manadgement of the said worke, as to this assembly should seeme meete: it is therefore ordered and agreed uppon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the contents of the above petition be and are hereby referred to the Lord Maior and Sherriffs for the time being, Alderman Huchinson, Alderman Cranwell, Alderman Lewis Desminceres, Mr. John Eastwood, Mr. John Price, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. Robert Mead, and Mr. George Surdevill, or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffs to be alwaies two, who are desired to take care of the said worke, and to employ workmen for the doing thereof as they shall thincke fitt, and that the charge thereof be paid by the threasurer of the citty for the time being, on the Lord Maiors warrant for the time being.

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m. 76.

1666, October 8.—Whereas certaine of the commons^{m. 77.}

petitioned unto the said assembly shewing that whereas his grace, the lord lieutenant, and counsell of this kingdome, considering the lamentable accident of fire which lately happened at London, whereby a great parte of that famous city was burnt, and the substance of many thousands consumed, out of a deepe sense of that said accident, and in compassion towards those that have suffered by occasion thereof, did, by their letters, bearing date the seaven and twentieth day of September last past, especially recommend it to this citty (as they had desired all the counties of this kingdome) to testify their compassionate sence of the misery of the said people of London, and to render some reliefe to their necessities, which they thought fitt not to impose upon any, but to leave all men to make their owne free will, offering in that measure and kind as they should thinck best, and that every person should subscribe a writeing, thereby expressing what hee would give, as by the said

Fire at
London.

Relief.

Subscrip-
tions.

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m. 77.

letter unto the said petition annexed did appeare ; now, 1636.
in obedience to the said letter, to which the petitioners
were desirous in all readiness to comply withall, and
considering the present necessity of those many families
which groane under the heavy affliction which had be- Affliction.
fallen them by reason of the said accident, the said
commons therefore humbly praied that some order
might be laid downe in this assembly, whereby the chari-
table subscriptions of the severall inhabitants of this
citty might be taken, and the same returned to the lord
lieutenant and councell, in order to the further disposing
thereof for the reliefe of those for whome it is intended,
as by the aforesaid letter is desired: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said
assembly, that the Lord Mayor and Sherriiffs, calling to
their assistance such as they shall thinck fitt, be and are
heereby impowered to nominate such persons as they
shall judge fitting in every parish in this city and Parishes.
suburbs to take the charitable subscriptions of all the
inhabitants in the severall and respective parishes afore-
said, and what sumes of money or beeves they and Money.
every of them will give towards the releife of the poor Beeves.
in London; and that the Lord Mayor do issue his
warrants to such persons soe to bee appointed as afore-
said for the doing thereof, and to returne the said sub-
scriptions to the Lord Maior with all possible speed.

m. 78.

1666. Third Friday after 29 September.

Mayor: John Desmynieres, esquire; Sheriffs: Philip May.
Castleton and Joseph Dobson. Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, is chosen and
elected treasurer of the said citty for the next ensueing Treasurer.
yeare.

[2.] Mr. Christopher Lovett and Mr. John Quelch are Masters
chosen and elected masters of the citty workes for the of works
next ensueing yeare.

1666.
Auditors. [3.] The Lord Maior, Sherriffes, the aldermen, Mr. Thomas Kirkeham, Mr. Christopher Bennett, Mr. John Eastwood [and] Mr. John Smith, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, are chosen auditors of the said citty for the said yeare. Roll xiv.
m. 78.

Amos
Ogden. [4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to the Lord Maior, preferred petition unto the said assembly, praying, for divers reasons sett forth in his petition, that a competent sune of money might be allowed him, for the use of his said master, for the defraying his said masters charge in maintaining the honor and dignity of this citty in the office of Lord Maior of this citty for the next ensuing yeare: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior be allowed the sune of five hundred pounds, sterling, from the treasurer of this citty for the time being, and that the Lord Maiors warrant and acquittance shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the same.

Lord
Mayor.

Allowance.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that sir George Gilbert, knight, and Alderman Ridgley Hatfeild shall have a lease, for terme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at Easter next, of a plott of wast ground betwixt sir Thomas Bramhalls¹ howse and Bradocks brooke in Oxmantowne, conteyning from south to north on the east side, leaveing forty foote for a high way from the lord of Droghedaes land, the number of one hundred yards, and from west to east at the sowth end, leaveing five and twenty foote for a highway from sir Thomas Bramhalls holding, the number of eight and thirty yards, and in breadth at the north end from west to east, leaving the like number of five and twenty foote for a high way from the sir Thomas Bramhalls holding, the like number of eight and thirty yards, and in length

Gilbert.
Hatfeild.

Bradocks
brooke.
Oxmantown.

Lord
Drogheda.

Bramhall.

¹ Son of John Bramhall, Protestant archbishop of Armagh, 1660-1663.

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from sowth to north on the west side, leaveing the like 1666.
number of forty foote for a high way from the said
lord of Droghedaes land, the like number of one hundred
yards, at the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, to be
paid to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty,
and a couple of fatt capons at Christmas yearely, to be
paid to the Lord Maior of the said citty for the time
being, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof at the
election and choice of the said Lord Maior; and the
petitioners are the rather preferred to the tenency of the
premisses because the petitioners have hitherto had noe
lotts on eyther of the Greennes; and that such other
clauses shalbe incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder
shall thinck fitt.

Dublin
Greens.

[6.] That John Nicholas, of Lazy Hill, merchant, shall
have a fee-farme to him and his heires for ever upon one
plott of ground at the west end of Saint Stephens
Greene, betweene the seaventeenth and eighteenth lotts
of the said west end, conteyneing to the front or square
of the said Greene twenty eight foote, and in length
backward on each side one hundred, thirty and seaven
foote, and in breadth on the most backward parte
twenty foote, under the same rents, covenants and con-
ditions as in the former deed of the premisses amongst
other things made unto George Surdevill, of the citty of
Dublin, taylor, are mentioned, the said former deed being
first surrendered, and that such clauses be inserted in the
said deed to be made to the said John Nicholas as the
Recorder shall thinck fitt.

Nicholas.
Lazy hill.

St.
Stephen's
Green.

Surdevill.

[7.] Whereas alsoe Francis Fletcher, master of the
free scoole of this citty, preferred his petition unto the
said assembly, shewing that whereas, by a report of the
Lord Maior and the rest of the committee appointed by
the last assembly for the regulating of the free scoole
unto the said petition annexed, there was the sume of
tenne pounds, sterling, superadded to the petitioners
wonted sallary for the present, over and above the
Salary.

Fletcher.

Free school.

Salary.

1636.

Usher

fifteene pounds sallary formerly allowed, with a provisoe Roll xiv. m. 78.

that if the petitioner should procure an able usher hee should have higher encouragement; and whereas the petitioner did further sett forth in his said petition that hee hath entertained an usher qualified for that employment, and therefore did humbly expect an accomplishment thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that this assembly doe confirme the report of the referrees, and that when this assembly shall have further assurance of the abillities of m. 78 b. the said usher, that then this assembly will take the augmentation of the allowance into their consideration.

Report.

John Pue.

[8.] Whereas also John Pue preferred his petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas, in the time of the Maioralty of Alderman William Smith, the petitioner preferred his petition to be admitted one of the attornies of the Thollsell courte of this honnorable citty, which accordingly was granted, but with a provisoe of enjoying the said place noe longer then the petitioner should officiat the samme himselfe; and now, forasmuch as the petitioner, for severall reasons sett forth in his said petition to this assembly, hath desired to be admitted without any such provisoe: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said petitioner be and is hereby granted one of the attornies of the said Thollsell court as is usuall, without any such condition as in the said petition is sett forth.

Attorney.

Thollsell.
Court.Master of
ceremonies.

[9.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Thomas Chabenor, sword bearer, be and is hereby established master of the ceremonies of this citty dureing the will and pleasure of the citty, and that the fines heerafter mentioned be confirmed and disposed of as heerafter is lymitted: first, every alderman

Attendance
on Lord
Mayor.
Aldermen.
Days.

that shall not attend on the Lord Maior, for the time being, on station daies in their gownes and capps, hee being summoned soe to doe, without sickness or a lawfull

Forfeitures, excuse, shall forfeit and pay two shillings, six pence,

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sterling ; seacondly, every Sherriffes peere that shall not attend on the Lord Maior, for the time being, on station daies, as aforesaid, in their gownes and capps, shall forfeit and pay two shillings, six pence, sterling ; thirdly, every one of the numbers of this citty whoe shall neglect to waite on the Lord Maior in their stations with a seemely gowne, capp and hood, shall forfeit and pay two shillings, sterling ; fowerthly, every alderman that shall, upon due notice given unto him or then, faile of their weekly attendance on the Lord Maior, for the time being, without sicknes or a lawfull excuse, shall pay five shillings, sterling, for every day ; fifthly, every Sherriffes peere that shall soe faile of his weekly attendance on the Lord Maior, for the time being, upon due notice given, shall forfeit and pay two shillings, six pence for every day ; sixthly, every alderman that shall faile to dine with the Lord Maior, for the time being, upon quarter daies, in their gownes, shall forfeit and pay five shillings, sterling ; seaventhly, every Sherriffes peere that shall faile in like manner, shall forfeit and pay two shillings, six pence, sterling ; eightly, every master of a corporation and every of his bretheren of the numbers that shall neglect to give his or their attendance on the Lord Maior, for the time being, on Sundaies, or at any time when thereunto warned, in decent gownes, and other decent habits becomeing cittyzens, such as shalbe approved of by the Lord Maior, for the time being, shall forfeit, every person for every such offence, two shillings and six pence, sterling ; ninthly, the swordbearer, for the the time being, to give notice and warneing unto such of the officers at mace from time to time as should give their attendance on the Lord Maior, for the time being, upon all occasions whatsoever, and that every officer failing of his duty heerein being thereunto required, shall forfeit for every such offence two shillings, six pence, sterling ; tenthly, that the Lord Maior, for the time being, finding the swordbearer to neglect his duty in causeing due summons

1666.
Sheriffs'
peers.

Gownes.
Caps.

Common
council.

Hoods.

Weekly
attendance.

Dinners.

Masters of
corpora-
tions.

Sundays.

Habits.

Sword
bearer.
Officers at
mace.

Penalties.

1666. to be given or expresse commands upon the officers at mace for their due attendance, as aforesaid, shall forfeit for every such offence to the Lord Maior, for the time being, the sune of five shillings, sterling, the same to be disposed of to the poore as the Lord Maior, for the time being, shall thinck fitt, and that the rest of the said forfeitures, as aforesaid, be and are heerby confirmed to the swordbearer as master of the ceremonies.

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Forfeitures.

Franchise.

Admissions to franchise.

m. 76 b.

1666, October 29.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine

m. 77.

Lord lieutenant and council. Proclamation.

Corporate towns.

Charters.

Committee.

of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas his grace the lord lieutenant and counsell, by their proclamation dated at Dublin the six and twentieth day of September, 1666, had required the cheife magistrate or other cheife officers of the severall citties and corporate townes in this kingdome respectively, att or before the last day of Michaelmas terme next, to deliver to his majesties attorney generall all grants or charters whereby any of the said citties or townes corporate have beene formerly incorporated, to the end the same may be renewed, and their lands, tennements, liberties and priviledges might be confirmed, of which the said petitioners takeing speciall notice, and being desirous in all things to comply with the said proclamation, and to receive the benifitt intended thereby, the petitioners therefore humbly praied that an order might be laid downe in this assemblie, in obedience to the said proclamation, that this citty might in all things duly comply with the same, according to the contents thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that a committee be appointed to sollicit and attend this present affaire, and to take advice of counsell from time to time, in order to the perfecting the said affaire, and that the treasurer of this citty for the time being doe from time

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to time pay unto such person and persons all such sumes of money for the carrying on of the said affaire as the said committee, or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, shall appoint to receive the same, and that the same be disbursed by the said committee or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, and that the receipt of such person or persons as shalbe impowred to receive the same, together with the Lord Maiors warrant for the payment of the same, shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the payment of the said sume of money. The names of the committee are the Lord Maior, the Sherriffes, Alderman Quin, Alderman Totty, Alderman Lewis Desmynieres, Alderman Smith, Alderman Tigh, Alderman Hutchinson, Alderman Hooke and Alderman Peter Wybrants, and eightene of the commons, or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, and that the treasurer of the citty for the time being be required forthwith to pay the said severall sumes of money in manner as aforesaid out of the first money belonging to the citty remaining in his hands. The names of the commons are Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. Richard Palfrey, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. Robert Meade, Mr. Elias Best, Mr. Peter Ward, Mr. John Eastwood, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. John Price, Mr. Samuell Saltonstall, Mr. John Dutton, Mr. Richard Lord, Mr. Robert Brady, Mr. William Hill, Mr. Thomas Sharpe, Mr. Hugh Leeson, and Mr. James Browne.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that there was a necessity of makeing an assessment on this citty for provision of fire and candlelight for his majesties horse and foote guards; wherefore, for severall reasons set forth in their said petition, the said commons humbly praied that an applotment might be made for the yeare next ensueing for the raiseing such sume of

1666.
Payments

Aldermen.

Commons.

Treasurer.

Assessment.

Guards.

Applotment.

1666. money with equallity upon the severall inhabitants of Roll xiv.
m. 77 b.
 this citty and suburbs as should be equivlaent to pay
 the charge of the said fire and candlelight: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
 that the severall inhabitants of the said citty, suburbs
 and liberties thereof be assessed and charged with such
 sume of money as the committee heerafter named shall
 thincke fitt, nott exceeding one hundred and twenty
 pounds, sterling, for answering the ends in the said
 petition mentioned, and that application be made to his
 grace, the lord lieutenant, and councell, to the end to
 make the liberties to pay such parte as is usuall for
 them in such cases to pay, both in respect of this present
 assessment, as alsoe for the time past wherein they have
 not paid anything; and [that] the persons heerafter named,
 or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the
 Sheriffes to be alwaies two, be and are heerby authorized
 to applott the sume soe to be assessed on the severall
 parishes of the said citty, suburbs and liberties as in
 former cesses hath bin used; and the same soe applotted
 to be levyed by the Lord Maiors warrant and collected
 by such persons as the said committee shall appoint;
 and that the money be paid into the hands of Alderman
 John Totty, whoe is to pay it out by the Lord Maiors
 order for the said uses; and that the said Alderman John
 Totty do account before the said committee, or any five
 of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sher-
 riffes to be alwaies two, as often as hee be thereunto
 required; and alsoe that the said Alderman Totty doe
 give account unto the said committee for the money
 received for the said uses the severall yeares last past,
 and that the said committee to be the Lord Maior, the
 Sheriffes, Alderman John Cranwell, Alderman John
 Forrest, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr.
 Luke Lowther, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. Samuell
 Saltonstall, Mr. George Howlett, and Mr. Joseph Stoker,
 or any five of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of
 the Sherriffes to be alwaies two.

City.
Suburbs.

Liberties.

Parishes.
Suburbs.
Liberty.
Cesses.
Collection.

John Totty.

Account.

Committee.

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m. 79.

1666, November 9.

1663.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas for a present supply of the agency¹ that then were employed by this citty to his majestie, the sume of one hundred and fifty pounds was borrowed, in the yeare 1660, of sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, for which severall persons, freemen of this citty, were and still are ingaged, and that all the said sume is paid to the said sir Daniell Bellingham, with the interest thereof, saveing eight and twenty pounds, two shillings, sterling; the petitioners therefore humbly praied that this assembly would lay downe a course that the said eight and twenty pounds, two shillings, might be satisfied to the said sir Daniell, that soe the suite might cease which the said sir Daniell had brought against the persons engaged, whoe became ingaged by reason of their good affection unto this citty, and that as well the costes of suite, if any be, as the said sume of eight and twenty pounds, two shillings, might be taken off the said persons that soe engaged: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the contents of the said petition be and are heerby referred to the Lord Maior, Sherriffes and the rest of the committee of agency, whoe are heerby impowered to view the account of the said sir Daniell Bellingham, and to consider of the same and what is remaineing due unto him, and the same that they shall find justly due unto him, and alsoe for the interest and costes, the same to be forthwith paid to the said sir Daniell Bellingham, or his order, by the treasurer of this citty, on the Lord Maiors warrant, which shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the payment thereof; provided the said sume doe not exceed thirty pounds, sterling, in all.²

¹ See page 183.² In margin: "This act not to be allowed till further order of the

assembly.—Allowed in Christmas assembly, 1666."

Agency.
City.
Charles II
Loan.Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham.Engage-
ment.
Costs.

Account.

Payment.

1666.
Ridgley.
Hatfeild.

Corpora-
tion of
smiths.

Percy.

Clerk of
Thollsell.

Corpora-
tions.

Bonds.

Marten.

[2.] Whereas alsoe Ridgley Hatfeild, alderman, pre-
ferred his petition unto the said assembly, shewing that
the corporation of smiths commenced a suite in the kings
bench against James Percy, trunckmaker, on a bond
taken in the petitioners name when hee was treasurer¹
of this citty, which said James Percy entered into with
condition not to intrude on any corporation; and the
petitioner did further set forth in his said petition that
the said corporation of smiths were cast in the suite, and
tenn pounds, eight shillings, six pence awarded for costes
of court, and that the said James Percy did take out
execution against the petitioner, whoe by vertue thereof
was attached by the Sherriffes of this citty, and forced
to pay the same; and therefore the petitioner humbly
praied such releife in consideration of the premisses
as this assembly should think fitt: and, therefore, on
consideration of the above petition, and in regard of
the greate suffering of the petitioner in the premisses, it
is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
that the master and wardens of the corporation of smyth
doe forthwith satisfy and pay unto the petitioner the
said sume of tenn pounds, eight shillings and six pence,
sterling, in the petition mentione'd, and in default
thereof that the Lord Maior be and is heerby impowered
to suspend such of the said corporation as are of the
numbers of this citty from their stations untill they shall
pay the same; and that alsoe for the future noe bonds be
delivered by the clerke of the Thollsell taken in the
treasurers names to any master, wardens or brethren
of any the corporations of this citty, for the use of the
said corporations, but that the said clerke of the Thollsell
doe first take bonds from such whoe shall at any time
demand the said bonds to save the treasurer and this
citty harmeles.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed, by the authority
aforesaid, that Henry Marten, junior, shalbe and is heerby

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¹ In 1660, see p. 194.

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admitted one of the atturnies of the Thollsell courte, any 1666.
act, lawe or ordinance of the said citty to the contrary Attorney.
Tholsel.
notwithstanding.

1666, November 16.

m. 79 b.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, upon a petition of certaine of the commons, that sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, be and is Sir Daniel
heerby authorized and desired (amongst the rest of his Belling-
good works already begun) to take care that the clock ham.
att the Thollsell of this citty be forthwith amended or Clock.
altered, and that the Lord Maiors warrant and the said Tholsel.
sir Daniell Bellinghams discharge shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the payment of what hee, the
said sir Daniell, shall disburse for the finishing the said worke.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons alsoe preferred their petition unto the said assembly, shewing that by an antient charter¹ granted to this citty the aldermen of Charter.
this citty are exempted from serveing, among other Aldermen.
offices, in the office of Sherriffe, in any other county then Exemption
that of the citty of Dublin, and that notwithstanding City.
the said charter the petitioners were given to understand that Alderman Daniell Wybrants, a freeman and Wybrants.
cittyzen of this citty, is chosen and appointed by his grace² to be High Sherriffe of the county of Dublin, Sheriff.
which the petitioners humbly conceived his grace would County of
not have done, had his grace bin acquainted with the Dublin.
said privileged given and confirmed unto them by his majesties royall progenitors; the petitioners therefore humbly praied this assembly to lay downe some course for haveing the said charter allowed this citty by his grace: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Mr. Recorder be and is hereby Recorder.

¹ See vol. i., p 35.

² The duke of Ormonde, lord lieutenant of Ireland.

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Petition.

desired forthwith to prepare a petition to his grace, praying an allowance of the said priviledge from his grace, and that his grace would be pleased to choose some other person in the stead of the said Alderman Daniell Wybrants, pursuant to the said charter. Roll xiv.
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1666-7.

1666-7. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1666.

m. 80.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

Sir Paul
Davys.

Remem-
brance.

Committee.
Agency.

Freedom of
city.

Presenta-
tion.
Piece of
plate.
Silver box.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas sir Paul Davys, knight, has been very instrumentall to promote the honor and advantage of this citty from time to time upon all occasions, wherein he had very much meritted, and for that the saide petitioners were desirous to present unto the said sir Paul Davys some remembrance of their gratitude in that particular, which had beene also the request of the committee of agency; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that an order might be layd downe in the said assembly to present unto the said sir Paul Davys some tokens of this cittyes thankefullness, in remembrance of the said sir Paule his care and meritts in the premisses, and that he might be alsoe presented with the freedome of this citty under the seale thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that there be presented a peece of plate of fifty pounds to the said sir Paul Davys, and that his freedome be presented unto him in a silver box, and this in respect of the many favors derived to this citty from the said sir Paul Davys.

Toll of
market.

Harvey,
scavenger.
Cleansing.
City.
Streets.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certayne of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, praying that the tolle of the markt of this citty might be disposed of to William Harvey, scavenger, upon these conditions following, viz.: first, that the said William Harvey should cleane all the citty within the gates; secondly, all Saint Thomas streete, from Newgate to Saint James gate and New

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Row; thirdly, all the maine streete of Oxmantowne, 1666-7.
from the Bridge to Younges Castle, Hamon lane, and Oxman-
Pill lane; fourthly, all Damaske streete, from Damas towne.
gate to the east corner of Chichester house, and all Saint Chichester
Georges lane; fifthly, all Bride streete, from Polegate to the house.
signe commonly called King Henry the Eighth; sixthly, Liberties.
all Saint Patricksstreete within the liberties; seaventhly, Saint Francis streete to Lillies lane; and alsoe that the
said William Harvey should pay every yeare unto the Annual
Lord Mayor, for the time being, fifty two barrells of the payment.
best wheate and fifty barrells of good beare mault: it is Wheat.
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of Malt,
the said assembly, that the said William Harvey shall
collect and enjoy the tolle of the citty under the pro-
posalls before mentioned untill next Michaelmas, and that
the clerke of the Thollsell be required to have a petition Clerk of
in readines at next midsomer assembly, to be there Tholsel.
preferred to that assembly in the name of certayne of
the commons, for the disposall of the said toll for the
cittyes best advantage.

[3.] Whereas also certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas sir Daniel Sir Daniel
Bellingham, knight, late Lord Mayor of the citty of Belling-
Dublin, and others, on the want of a place whereon to ham.
sett a gallows, did, by order of a board of aldermen of Gallows.
this citty, contract with Mr. George Surdevile and Mr. Contracts.
Robert Meade for a small peece of ground without Saint
James gate for that purpose, for which they were to pay St. James
to the said Mr. Surdevile and Mr. Meade the sume of gate.
twenty pounds, sterling, together with such charges as Surdevile.
they could make appeare to have beene at concerneing Meade.
the premises; and for that there was another place
appointed for setting up of the gallowes; the petitioners Gallows.
therefore humbly prayed the said assembly that the said
persons might be taken off from their ingagement, and
that the said mony might be paid out of the treasury of Payment.
this citty, and the land disposed of for the benefitt of the

1666-7. citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the treasurer of this citty do pay, on the Lord Maiors warrant, the sune of twenty five pounds, two shillings, to the said Surdevill and Meade, and that the Lord Maiors warrant and the said Meades and Surdevills acquittance shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the same, and that the said land soe purchased shall be by the citty converted to such use as they shall thinke fitt. Roll xiv.
m. 80.

[4.] Whereas also certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by the antient lawes and customes of this citty none but Protestants were to be of the common council of this citty, and such as take the oath of supremacy;¹ and forasmuch as there were many persons of the numbers of this citty whoe had not taken the oath of supremacy; the petitioners humbly prayed the said assembly that an order might be laid downe for putting the said persons out of the rolle of numbers if they should not take the oath before the next assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that all such persons who are of the common councill of this citty that shall not take the oath of supremacy before the next assembly, shall be put out of the roll of numbers.

Protestants, Common council.
Oath of supremacy.
Roll of members.
Amotion.

[5.] Whereas also certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas one Christopher Wolverston, sometime one of the Sherriffes² of this citty, had absented himselfe from the assemblies of this citty, and also from bearing cesse and other publique charges as other freemen of this citty had done, and as all other freemen of the citty were by the auntient custome of the citty bound to doe, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed the said assembly that an order might be laid downe in this assembly for the disfranchising of the said Christopher Wolverston from m. 80 b.

Christopher Wolverston. Absence.
Public charges.

¹ See vol. ii., p. xvii.; iii., p. 577.

² See vol. iii., p. 162.

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his freedome of this cittye: it is therefore ordered and 1666-7
agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that for the
reasons before mentioned the said Christopher Wolver-
ston be disfranchized from his freedome of this citty.

Disfran-
chisement

[6.] It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, that sir William Davys,
knight, shall have a lease for the terme of ninety nine
years, uppon a void peece of ground nere Hoggen Greene,
formerly demised by this citty unto Thomas Pemberton,
alderman, deceased, which conteyneth in length from
east to west two hundred, thirty and foure foote, and in
bredth from north to south seaventy foote, at the yearly
rent of forty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the
treasurer of the citty, and that such clauses be incerted
in the said lease as the counsell of the citty shall advise;
the same to be done upon surrender of the former interest
of the premisses to the citty; the said rent to commence
at Easter next.

Sir William
Davys.

Hoggen
Green.

[7.] That sir Daniell Bellingham, knight, shall have a
fee farme, in his owne name, to him and his heires for
ever, of these severall plotts or parcells of ground
following¹ (that is to say), of the ninth, tenth, eleventh
and twelfth lotts of the east end of Saint Stephens
greene, formerly graunted to Francis Brewster, of the
said citty, merchant, the five and twentyeth lott of the
north side of the said Greene, formerly graunted to the
said sir Daniell Bellingham; the first lott of the south
side of the said Greene, formerly granted to the said
sir Daniell Bellingham; the third lott of the said side,
formerly graunted to Andrew Loyd, of the said citty,
merchant; the fourth lott of the said side, formerly
graunted to Owen Jones, of the said citty, merchant; the
sixth lott of the said side, formerly graunted to John
Preston, alderman; the seaventh and eighth lotts of the
said side, formerly graunted to Josua Allen, merchant;
the ninth lott of the said side, formerly graunted to

Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham.

St.
Stephen's
Green.

Lots.

¹ See pp. 302, 303, 304.

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Oxman-
towne
Greene.

Anne Blondeville, widdow ; the tenth lott of the same side, formerly graunted to the said Josua Allen ; and also the eighty third lott of Oxmantowne Greene,¹ formerly graunted to John Totty, alderman ; the twenty eighth, fifty sixth, fifty eighth, fifty fifth and forty seaventh lotts of Oxmantown Greene² aforesaid, formerly graunted unto John Bridges, of the said citty, gentleman ; and also the ninety second lott of the said Greene,³ formerly graunted to the said sir Daniell Bellingham, he, the said sir Daniell, surrendering unto the citty the former deeds of the premisses, and he to pay the yearly rent formerly reserved unto the citty out of the premisses, amounting in the whole to the summe of one and twenty pounds, twelve shillings, nine pence farthing, and to performe the same covenants and conditions contained in the said former grants.

Daniel
Wybrants.

[8.] That Daniell Wybrants, alderman, on a surrender of his present interest of the premisses hereafter mentioned, shall have a lease, in his owne name, for the terme of ninety nine years, for the fine of forty pounds, sterling, of two messuages, with the appurtenances, scituate in Fishamble streete, parcell of the lands of Saint Mary Abby, by Dublin, formerly demised unto Robert Usher, alderman, and afterwards unto Laurence Usher, merchant, deceased, at the yearly rent of three pounds, sterling, per annum, to be paid to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, and that such clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt, and that the said Daniell Wybrants doe for every one and twentyth yeare pay double his rent for that yeare.

Fishamble
street.
St. Mary's
Abbey.

Usher.

Quelch

Fishamble
street.
Fish
market.

[9.] That John Quelch, one of the late Sheriffes of this citty, shall have a lease, for the tearme of twenty one years, of the building lately erected in Fishamble streete for a Fishmarkett, at the yearly rent of sixty five pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the citty,

¹, ², ³ See pp. 331, 332.

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for the use of the citty, and that the said John Quelch, 1666-7.
or those claimeing from him, shall not take above two ^{Rent.}
pounds twelve shillings, sterling, per annum, for every
yeare for each stall, and that he onely have liberty to ^{Stalls.}
sett stalls without the house to the fishermen for whome ^{Fishermen.}
there shall be no roome or stalls within the house now
built, and also to have the benefitt of the water, and that ^{Water.}
he be oblidged to keepe the said stalls sweete and ^{Main-}
cleane; and that such further clauses and provisoes be ^{tenance.}
incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke
fitt; and the said house dureing the said terme to be
kept in constant repaire.

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[10.] That Anthony Derry, glover, shall have a lease ^{Anthony}
for the terme of sixty one yeares, on a wast peece of ^{Derry.}
ground nere Hoggen Butt, adjoyneing unto Tib and Tom, ^{Hoggen}
conteyning in length from west to east, joyneing to Tib ^{Butt.}
and Tom on the south, two hundred, forty and nine
foote, besides fowerteene foote left for an entrance into
Tib and Tom, and in bredth from south to north, three ^{Tib and}
foote, and from the east inclineing north westward, one ^{Tom.}
hundred, forty and seaven foote, then from east to west
towards Chequer lane, leaving fowerteene foote for the ^{Chequer}
aforesaid entrance to Tib and Tom, one hundred and ^{Lane.}
twenty foote, and in breadth from north to south at the
west end, threescore and five foote, at the yearly rent of
twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid halfe yearly, at
Michaelmas and Easter, to the treasurer of the citty for
the time being, for the use of the citty, the said lease to
commence from Easter next; and that such clauses be
incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke
fitt; the said lease being granted to him [Derry], he
being an officer to this citty.

[11.] Whereas alsoe Daniell Birne and Thomas King ^{Birne.}
petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that they ^{King.}
had formerly made a discovery of a certaine parcell of ^{Discovery}
ground, neere Andrews Folly, belonging to the citty, and ^{Andrews'}
desired preference to the tenancy, which had been ^{Folly.}

- 1666-7. granted, but that some moved for canting,¹ whereupon Roll xiv.
m. 81.
there was a lease granted thereof to Mr. Nathaniell
- Philpott. Philpott; and for that by the acts and lawes of this
citty the discoverers are to have the first three yeares
rent, and for that a whole yeare was expired at
Michaelmas last of Mr. Philpotts lease, and the said
petitioners had not received one penny of the reserved
- Reserved
rent. rent, the petitioners humbly prayed the said assembly
that an order might be conceived and graunted to the
treasurer of this citty to putt the said Mr. Philpotts
- Bond. bond in suite, or to use some other legall way for
getting the said rent already due, and from time to
time as it shall growe due, and to authorize the
treasurer to pay the same unto the said petitioners:
it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of the citty for
the time being shall signe acquittances for the rents of
the premisses due for the first three yeares, deducting
thereout such fees as are due to the said treasurer; and
- Dis-
coverers. that the discoverers shall, on refusall of payment of the
said rent, be impowered in the name of the treasurer to
sue the said Philpotts bond, and to doe all other lawfull
acts and things for the recovery of the said three yeares
rent; and that the like course be taken in all and every
the like cases.
- [12.] It is also ordered [and agreed] upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that William Yeomans be and is
hereby elected one of the officers at mace, to hold the
same dureing the pleasure of this citty, and to have
all the priviledges thereunto belonging.
- Yeomans,
office at
mace.
- Franchise. Admissions to franchise. m. 61 b.

1667. 1667.² Second Friday after Easter.³ m. 82.
Laws, orders and constitutions:—
[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
the said assembly, shewing that whereas the severall

¹ Sale by auction.² 19 Charles II.³ Easter-day, 7 April, 1667.

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m. 82.

gates of this citty were very much out of repaire, ^{1667.}
haveing need of new locks and other materials ^{Gates of}
necessary for the strength and safety of this citty; ^{citty.}
the said petitioners therefore humbly praied that some
course might be laid downe in the said assembly for
the mending the said gates: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly,
that the masters of the citty workes doe forthwith take
care that the severall gates of this citty be forthwith
putt in good repaire, and that the treasurer of the citty ^{Repair.}
be required forthwith to advance money (not exceeding
twenty pounds, sterling) to the said masters for the
finishing the said workes, and that the said masters
acquittance be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer
for the sume, and that the said money be advanced
before the said worke be begun by the said masters
or those whome they shall appoint.

[2.] Whereas Margarett, viscountesse dowager Massa-
reene, preferred a petition unto the said assembly, ^{Viscountess}
shewing that whereas this citty did heertofore grant to ^{Massa-}
her late husband, John, lord viscount Massareene,¹ and ^{reene.}
his heires, a parcell of land on Oxmantowne Greene, ^{Oxman-}
commonly called Loughboy, by vertue whereof hee ^{towne}
became seized of the same, and, being soe seized, by his ^{Green.}
last will and testament in writeing devised the same to ^{Loughboy.}
the said petitioner, and that the said petitioner, being
informed that the said grant was not passed according
to the usuall forme of grants made by this citty, did ^{Grants}
on severall assembly daies past petition that a new ^{from city.}
conveyance might be granted unto her of the premisses,
according to the usuall forme, which was by this citty
ordered to be done; and whereas the petitioner did
further set forth in her said petition that this citty had
formerly ordered upon her petition that if it should
appeare there was more grownd taken in then was first
sett out, that the petitioner should be preferred to the

¹ See p. 287.

1667. tenancy of soe much at a reasonable rent; and forasmuch Roll xiv.
m. 82.
 Tenants. as the petitioner and her tennants had theise divers
 Building. yeares past been hindered from building and improveing
 the premisses, shee therefore humbly praied the said
 assembly, in pursuance of their former grant and
 severall other favourable orders for a new grant in the
 usuall forme, that this assembly would now effectually
 perfect the same, and prefix such reasonable augmenta-
 tion of rent upon any overplus that might appeare
 as to this assembly should seeme meete: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
 that the said petitioner, upon surrendering the former
 interest of the premisses, shall have a fee farme of the
 said grownd to her ladishipp and her heires for ever as
 the same is now surveighed and returned, that is to say,
 St. Michan's church- to conteyne, from the style of Saint Michans churchyard
 yard. westward, leaveing six and twenty feete for a highway
 Sowtherne. to Mr. Sowthernes house end, eleaven perches and fower-
 teene feete, and thence from sowth to north on the west
 side fower and thirty perches and a halfe; alsoe at the
 north end from west to east eighteene perches, and in
 length on the east side, from the north to the church
 style on the sowth, one and forty perches; the petitioner
 paying as a fine to the treasurer of the citty, for the use
 of the citty, the sume of one hundred pounds sterling,
 and that the yearely rent be six pounds, per annum,
 to be paid as aforesaid, the petitioner leaveing forty
 Highway. foote for a highway on the sowth end of the said
 Smithfield. grownd leading to Smithfeild, and six and twenty feete
 for a highway on the east side of the same grownd
 from sowth to north: with such other covenants and
 provisoes to be incerted in the said deed as Mr. Recorder
 Railing. shall thinck fitt: and that the premisses be railed to
 Smithfeild in such manner as Mr. Greene hath railed
 his grownd there.
 William [3.] Whereas the coheires of Alderman William
 Turner. Turner, deceased, preferred a petition alsoe unto the

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m. 82.

said assembly, shewing that, upon a reference from ^{1667.}
his grace the lord lieutenant of this kingdome, the ^{Lord} ^{lieutenant.}
assembly of this citty, by an order made the seaven and
twentieth of Aprill, 1666, referred the consideration of
that petition to the then Lord Maior and Sherriffes, and
such other members of the said citty as his lordshipp
should call to his assistance, whoe made their reporte to ^{Report.}
the said assembly that the petitioners had just right and
tytle to the howse where the courte of guard is now ; ^{Court of}
they haveing obteyned a decree in the courte of ^{guard.} claimes
for the same in the yeare 1663, whereupon the said ^{Court of}
petitioners humbly praied the said assembly that a ^{claims.}
course might be taken by this citty for their satisfaction
as well for the meane rates incurred since the said decree ^{Rates.}
as for their enjoyment of the said howse for the future :
it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that if sir Nicholas Plunkett, knight, or those ^{Sir}
whoe derive a legall tytle to the premisses, doe make a ^{Nicholas}
lease of the premisses for sixty one yeares to the citty, ^{Plunket.}
that then the citty doe pay the yearely rent of twenty
pounds for the same, and noe more ; the said lease to
commence the five and twentieth day of March last.

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[4.] Whereas alsoe John Castleton, brother to Mr. ^{Castleton.}
Philip Castleton, one of the Sherriffes of this citty, pre-
ferred a petition unto the said assembly, shewing that
his said brother, Philip Castleton, had very urgent
occasions into England, which would require his said ^{England.}
brothers personall attendance there for some time ; and
therefore the said petitioners humbly praied the said
assembly to give licence to his said brother to goe for
England to attend his concernements there : it is there-
fore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,
that the said petitioner be and is heerby admitted to goe
into England, provided hee returne within three monthes ^{Absence,}
after his departure hence. ^{Limitation.}

[5.] Whereas alsoe George Surdevill, taylor, preferred ^{Surdevill.}
a petition unto the said assembly, shewing that hee had

1667.	a lease from this citty of a wast peece of grownd in	Roll xiv.
Oxmantowne.	Oxmantowne, and was disturbed in the improving	m. 82 b.
Lattin.	thereof by one Mr. Lattin, whoe pretended tytle to the	
	same, and that the petitioner could not make good his	
	tytle to the said grownd without aid and assistance from	
Records.	this assembly and haveing recourse to the records and	
Deeds.	such deeds as might be wanting to make good his tytle	
	to the same; the petitioner therefore prayed the said	
Perusal.	assembly that hee might have liberty to peruse such	
	deeds and records as should be necessary for makeing	
	good the said tytle: it is therefore ordered and agreed	
Clerk of Tholsel.	upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the clerke of the	
	Thollsell be required to permitt the said petitioner to	
	have recourse to the said records, and to make such use	
	of them for the end aforementioned; provided the said	
	clerke of the Thollsell doe attend upon the said records	
Attend- ance.	from time to time, and not permitt the same to be out of	
Custody.	his custody.	
John Quelch.	[6.] Whereas alsoe John Quelch, upholder, preferred	
	his petition to the said assembly, shewing that whereas	
	this citty was pleased, in Christmas assembly last, to	
Fish market.	grant the petitioner a lease of the fish howse or fish	
	markett in Fishamble streete for terme of one and	
	twenty yeares, at the rent of sixty five pounds, sterling,	
	per annum, and for that the petitioner could not make	
	the rent reserved thereout unto the citty, hee therefore,	
	humbly praied the said assembly to grant him a lease	
	of ninety nine yeares of the premisses: it is therefore	
	ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,	
	that the petitioner, surrendering his former interest in	
	the premisses, shall have a lease of the said fishmarkett	
	and fish howse for the terme of ninety nine yeares,	
Fine.	hee paying as a fine to the treasurer of the citty, for the	
	use of the citty, the sune of two hundred and forty	
	pounds, sterling, and at the yearely rent of sixteene	
	pounds, sterling, and to pay to the Lord Maior, for	
Salmon	the time being, yearely, six salmon fish and three	

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m. 82 b.

couple of organ ling, and under these covenants following: First, that noe fish be sold out of the shambles whilst there be roome within; seacondly, that the seaven and twenty stalls that now are erected be not lessened; thirdly, that the fishermen or badgers shall or may take a lease from three yeares to three yeares dureing this lease, if hee or they soe long live, of the above mentioned stalls, hee or they paying two and fifty shillings per annum for each stall, and conformeing themselves to the custome of the place; fowerthly, that every one that bringeth fish to be sold that taketh not a lease as aforesaid shall pay six pence per diem for every day they stand in the said shambles, except some poore women whoe bring fish on their backs, whoe shall pay but two pence per diem, as aforesaid; fifthly, that stalles of boards be provided without the said howse by the petitioner, and that those whoe stand there and cannot get roome within shall pay fower pence per diem for every standing about the Fishambles, except such poore women as aforesaid, whoe are to pay but one penny per diem; sixthly, that the said lessee shall have the freedome of the water cock, hee keepeing of it in repaire and altering of the statue in that which is offensive, and to be bound not to make any other use of the said place but a fish markett; and that such other covenants, clauses and provisoes be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt; the said lease to commence from Our Lady day last past.

1667.
Ling.
Covenants.
Shambles.

Stalls.
Fishermen.
Badgers.

Rent.

Custum.

Days.

Standing.
Women.

Boards.

Water.

Statue.

Restriction.

[7.] Whereas the master, bretheren and wardens of the fraternity or guild of Saint Patrick's, neere Dublin, preferred their petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there had been an order of reference granted on a former petition preferred by the said fraternity the last Christmas assembly, impowring the Lord Maior, recorder, and such of the aldermen as the Lord Maior should think fit to call to his assistance, to consider of the contents of their said former petition,

Guild of St.
Patrick.

Petition.

1667.
Report.

and to report the same to this assembly, which report was annexed to the said petition; the petitioners there- Roll xiv.
m. 82 b.

Inrolment.
Records
of city.
Body
politick.

the petitioners might be inrolled amongst the records of this citty as a body politick: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioners be received as a body politick into this city, and that their patent be inrolled amongst the records of this city, and their stacion be next after the goldsmiths, and that there be three of the corporacion, such as shall be presented by the master and wardens of the said corporacion for the time being, admitted into the numbers of this city to be of the common councill of this city, that is to say, on the displacing, removeing or death of any of the corporacion of carpenters, whoe now are of the common councill of this city from time to time as the said numbers shall become void.

Station.
Gold-
smiths.

Carpenters.

William
Harvey.

[8.] Whereas William Harvey preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the petitioner was tennant to the citty for certaine grownd without Saint James Gate, on the right hand, leading towards the Redd Mills, on which the said petitioner had laid out in fitting the same for building the sume of fifteene hundred pounds, sterling, at least, and that the right honorable James, lord baron Barry, of Santry, lord chiefe justice of Ireland, claimeth the premisses, and hath affirmed that hee hath a good tytle thereunto, soe that the petitioner could not make benefitt of his said disbursements; and therefore humbly praied the said assembly that some speedy course might be taken for the petitioners releife: it is therefore ordered and agreed, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner doe make good the citties tytle the best hee can, and that the citty doe give him the best assistance they can in makeing out the cittyes tytle to the premisses.

St. James'
Gate.

Baron of
Santry.

Surdevill.

[9.] Whereas alsoe Edward Surdevill, taylor, preferred

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m. 83.

his petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas ^{1667.} this citty, in Christmas assembly, 1664, did grant unto George Surdevill, taylor, a fee farme to him and his heires for ever, amongst other things, of one parcell of wast grownd on the east end of Saint Stephens Greene ^{St. Stephen's Green.} next to Donabrooke way, facing to the square of the said Greene, and conteyneing in breadth to the said square fifty nine foote, and in length backwards one hundred and sixteene foote, both sides alike, and in breadth backwards equall with the front, at such yearely rent, with other conditions, as by the said deed might appeare; and forasmuch as the petitioner had purchased the interest of the said land from the said George Surdevill, the petitioner therefore humbly praied a fee farme of the premisses in his owne name, hee surrendering his former deed of the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner, on surrendering his former deed, shall have a new deed of the premisses in his owne name to him and his heires for ever, under the same covenants conteyned in the said former deed, with such other clauses and covenants to be incerted therein as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt, and paying the arreares of rent due unto the citty out of the premisses.

[10.] Whereas alsoe William Hanway, gentleman, ^{William Hanway} preferred his petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas hee had obteyned a surrender from John Pue, gentleman, one of the attornies of this citty court, ^{John Pue.} of his place of attorneyship in the said courte; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly that hee might be admitted one of the attornies of the ^{Attornies.} said court in the place of the said John Pue: it is ^{City court.} therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be and is heerby admitted ^{Admission.} an attorney of the said court in the place and stead of the said John Pue, hee takeing the usuall oathes¹ of a

¹ See vol. i., pp. 260, 261

1667.
Tholsel.

freeman and attorney of the said citty and Tholsell of the said citty, and to continue dureing the pleasure of the citty. Roll xiv.
m. 83.

Chabenor.
Attorney.
Tholsel.

[11.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Thomas Chabenor, junior, be and is heerby admitted to be one of the atturnies of the Thollsell Courte; the same to continue dureing the pleasure of the citty.

Evans,
musician.

[12.] That John Evans, musician, shall have the place of musician to this citty in the place and stead of James Clayton, late musician to this citty, deceased, and he to continue in the same dureing the pleasure of this citty, and hee to have such fees as are usually due to the musician of the citty; and that the petitioner be master of the company of musicians, and that Patrick Jones be next in place to the petitioner, and the rest to continue in their severall stations as now they are.

Master of
company of
musicians.

Swattman,
plumber.

[13.] Whereas alsoe Ralph Swattman, plumer, preferred his petition to the said assembly, shewing that the petitioner had been elected and made choice of by the committee for regulating of the affaires of the pipe water in this citty, to be plumer of this citty, and to make and lay new pipes for the conveying the water into the citty, according to the orders, rules and rates laid downe by the said committee; and to the end the petitioner might not receive any obstruction in his said worke; hee therefore humbly praied the said assembly that they would not only establish him to be plumer to this citty by an act of the said assembly, but alsoe to authorize him to prohibitt any other plumer whatsoever from fixing any other branch or branches unto any other pipe or pipes within this citty or suburbs without the consent or knowledge of the petitioner, which otherwise might be a great retarding to the worke now begun, and to lay downe such course for the promoteing the said worke as by the said assembly should be thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority

Pipe water.

New pipes.

Obstruc-
tion.

Prohibi-
tion.

Roll xiv.
m. 83.

aforesaid, that it be referred to the said committee of the water to consider of the contents of the said petition, and to doe therein as they shall thinck fitt.

1667.
Reference.

m. 83 b.

[14.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Robert Jordan shalbe admitted to the place of porter to the Lord Maior, and that hee be allowed the sune of six pounds, sterling, and two pounds to buy a gowne, for his attendance in the said place, and that hee be continued dureing the will and pleasure of the Lord Maior for the time being.

Robert
Jordan,
porter to
Lord
Mayor.
Gown.

[15.] Marke Quine, alderman, is chosen and elected Quine. Maior of the said citty for the next ensuing yeare.

[16.] Mr. Mathew French and Mr. William North are chosen and elected Sherriffes of the said citty for the said yeare.

French,
North.

m. 84 b.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

1667, April 30.

m. 83 b.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that there were many hackny coaches in and about the citty which fill the streetes thereof, to the great anoyance of the inhabitants of the citty; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to order a certaine number of hackney coaches to plye and labour with their said coaches in and about this honorable citty, with such rules and orders as should be by the said assembly thought fitt, and that all other hackny coaches might be inhibited; it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said coaches be regulated according to the ensuing proposals: first, noe more then thirty hackney coaches be permitted in this citty, and that noe lycence be given to any man or his assignes [for] noe more then one coach; secondly, that noe horses be permitted to drawe in any such hackny coaches in the said citty but such as shalbe at the least fifteene hand full high;

Hackney
coaches.

Rules.
Orders.

Inhibition.

Regula-
tions.
Number.
Licences,
Horses.

Measure-
ment.

1667.
Rates,
Fares.

Suburbs.

Limits.

Carmen.

Horses.

Mesandier.

Contempt.

Additional
rules.

Attendance.

Streets.

Admis-
sion.

Horses.

thirdly, that noe coachman shall demand above twelve pence for the first hour and eight pence for every hour more that they shall serve at that time in the citty; fowerthly, that noe coach shall take above twelve pence as a faire for carrying any person or persons from any place within the citty to any other place within the same, or suburbs thereof; fifthly, that no coachman shall demaund above eight shillings per diem, cownting twelve houres to the day, for a coach and coachman and two horses in this citty or within six miles thereof; sixthly, that after the nine and twentieth of September nexte noe carrmen be permitted to labour within this citty but such whose horses shalbe fowerteenehand full high; seaventhly, that noe coachman be permitted to labour within this citty but such as shall have lycence from Mr. Reese Mesandier, whoe is authorized by his majestie to give lycence to such men; eighthly, that whatever coachman or carrman shall conteame or not conforme unto the rules and orders aforesaid, and such additional rules and orders as shalbe made by the citty, shalbe proceeded against as the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall see fitting according to the lawes; ninthly, that the thirty coaches soe to be licensed may be required to attend—ten of them in Saint Thomas streete, six in Castle streete, fower in Saint Warburroughs streete, and tenn at the Colledge Greene, and to chainge their turnes att or in the places of attendance aforesaid, to be chainged weekly as the said Mr. Reese Mezendier shall direct; tenthly, that such persons as the Lord Maior shall judge fitting, and shall first make application, may be admitted to be of the said number of thirty, the said persons haveing first provided horses of the stature aforesaid.

Roll xiv.
m. 83 b.

m. 84.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the Maior, commons and cittizens of the said citty, by their indenture under their common seale, beareing date the fowerth Friday next after the feast of the Nativity of our Lord

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m. 84.

God, 1663, did demise, grant, sett and to farme lett unto 1667.

Alderman Robert Deey, for the terme of ninety nine ^{Robert Deey.} yeares, one small thatch howse, with a little backside, neere Fians bridge in Oxmantowne, conteyneing at the <sup>Oxman-
towne</sup> north end forty seaven foote, and at the sowth end thirty nine foote, and in length two hundred, twenty six foote, to commence from the feast of Saint Michaell tharchangell then last past, under the yearely rent of tenn pounds per annum and one couple of fatt capons or five shillings in lieu thereof; and forasmuch as the said Alderman Deey had not sealed the cownterparte of the said lease, and refused to accept of the said grant, and that there was a lease of ejectment lately sealed upon the present tennant in possession of the premisses, thereby in-deavoring to recover the premisses from this honorable citty, the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly to make an order for the vacating the said grant made of the premisses to the said Alderman Robert Deey, that soe the premisses might be in the citties disposall, and that the citty agent might be impowered to defend the citties tytle to the premisses against such as should oppose the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Mr. Richard Lord, agent to this citty, be and is heerby ^{Richard Lord.} impowered and authorized to defend the citties tytle to the premisses; the same to be done at the citties charge. And it is further ordered that the said grant formerly made unto Alderman Robert Deey, as in the petition is sett forth, be and is heerby declared void, and that the same premisses be at the citties dispose, the said lease not being taken out by the said Alderman Deey the next post assembly after the said grant, according to an act of assembly of this citty heertofore made for that purpose.

[3.] Whereas alsoe Josua Allen, alderman, petitioned ^{Josua Allen.} unto the said assembly, shewing that by order of a table of aldermen hee did furnish this citty with three

1667.
High pipe.
Castle.
Thollsell.

hogsheads of wine, to be run out, one at the high pipe, Roll xiv. m. 84. one other at the castle gate, and the other at the Thollsell, upon Saint Georges day,¹ being his majesties coronation day, which hogsheads of wine amownted to fower and twenty pounds, tenn shillings, sterling; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to lay downe some course in the said assembly for the paying the said petitioner the said twenty fower pounds, tenn shillings: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be satisfied the said sune of twenty fower pounds, tenn shillings, sterling, out of the treasury of this citty, and that the Lord Maiors warrant and the said petitioners receipt shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the payment thereof.

Wine.
Cost

1667, June 6.

Richard
Lord.

Oxman-
towne.

Deey.

City seal.

Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by an act of assembly of the said citty, made the thirtieth day of Aprill last past, it was ordered that Richard Lord, agent to this citty, should defend the citties tytle of a howse and backside in Oxmantowne, formerly sett unto Alderman Robert Deey, for which there was an action commenced against this citty; but forasmuch as without the citty seale the said agent could not appeare in the said cause to take the defence of the tytle upon him to defend the citties interest, the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly that the said Richard Lord might be authorized by letter of attorney under the citty seale m. 84 b. for the defending the said suite: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Mr. Richard Lord be authorized under the citty seale to defend the abovesaid suite commenced against this citty, and to substitute and reteyne one or more attorney or attorneys to appeare on behalfe of this citty and defend the said suite.

¹ April 23.

Roll xiv.
m. 85 b.

1667.—Fourth Friday after 24 June.

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Orders :—[1.] Christopher Bennett, merchant, was ^{Bennett.} elected and chosen alderman of the said citty of Dublin in the place of William Cliffe, late discharged from that ^{Cliffe.} place.

[2.] Mr Giles Mee was elected and chosen one of the ^{Mee.} Sherriffes of the said citty for the next ensueing yeare in the place and stead of Mr. John Bradock, late discharged ^{Bradock.} from that place.

m. 85.

Admissions to franchise.

^{Franchise.}

1667, August 6.

m. 86.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1.] Whereas Amos ^{Amos} Ogden, servant to the Lord Maior, preferred petition to the said assembly, setting forth that the petitioners master, the Lord Maior of this citty, had been at extraordinary charges in carrying on his affaires in respect to the said office of Maioralty, and of necessity must be at ^{Mayoralty.} much more expences for the maintenance of the honor ^{Expenses.} and dignity of this citty dureing his continuance in the said office ; the petitioner therefore humbly praied the said assembly to grant such further and additionall ^{Additional allowance} allowance unto him, for the use of his said lord and master, for the carrying on the said charge, as the said assembly should think fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner be allowed, for the use of his said lord and master, the sume of two hundred pounds, sterling, as an ^{Grant.} additionall allowance, the same to be received out of any arreares that shall or may be found in any of the late treasurers hands, or out of the three penny customes, or ^{Three penny customes.} out of such other casualties which shall or may heerafter fall or be due to this citty.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there had lately happened in this citty severall differrences and ^{Disturbances.} disturbances betwixt the severall souldiers of his ^{Soldiers.}

1667. majesties army now quartering in this citty and the
 Quarters in city. inhabitants thereof about quarters, and the petitioners
 being credibly informed that there are in this citty above
 Inns. Alehouses. fifteene hundred inns and alehouses, whoe may well
 without any prejudice to them give sufficient quarters
 to all the parte of his majesties army now in this city ;
 therefore, for the prevention of further troubles, the said
 Address. petitioners did humbly pray the said assembly to lay
 downe some order that an address might be made to his
 Lord grace, the lord lieutenant, praying that his grace would
 Lord Lie- be pleased to give order that the Sheriffes of this citty
 tenant. Sheriffs. may quarter the severall companies and troopes that are
 Oppression. or shalbe in this citty, soe as that noe oppression or injury
 may be done to the inhabitants of this citty, and that
 Quartering. the severall companies might be quartered by their
 Names. House- respective names upon the howsekeepers, to be par-
 keepers. ticularly named alsoe by the said Sherriffes: it is
 therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
 aforesaid, that application be made to his grace, the lord
 lieutenant, as above is desired, and that Mr. Recorder
 Petition. doe forthwith drawe a petition to his grace, in the name
 of the Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of
 Grievances. this citty, thereby setting forth the many grievances
 done to the citty by the quartering of the souldiers in
 this citty.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
 unto the said assembly, shewing that there is greate want
 of provision of fire and candlelight for the horse and
 footte guards of this citty of Dublin for the next ensuing
 yeare, as alsoe for the rent of the court of guard, which
 being a busines of such publike concernement to this
 citty, that all persons inhabitting therein and in the
 suburbs thereof ought to beare an equall burthen of the
 charge, the petitioners therefore humbly praied that an
 applotment might be made for the next ensuing yeare
 for the raiseing of such sume of money with equallity
 upon the severall inhabitants of this citty and suburbs

Guards.

Court of
guard.Inhabi-
tants of
city.

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as should be equivalent to pay the charge of the said fire and candlelight: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the inhabitants of the citty, suburbes and liberties thereof, be assessed and charged with such summe of money as the Lord Maior and Sherriesses for the time being shall thinck fitt, not exceeding one hundred and forty pounds, sterling, for answering the ends before mentioned, and that application be made to his grace, the lord lieutenant, and counsell, to the end to make the liberties to pay such parte as is usuall for them in such cases to pay, both in respect of this present assessment alsoe for the time past, wherein they have not paid anything, and that the Lord Maior and Sherriesses for the time being be and are heerby authorized to applott the same soe to be assessed on the severall parishes of the said citty, suburbs and liberties, as in former cases hath been used, and the same soe applotted to be levied by the Lord Maiors warrant, and collected by such persons as the said Lord Maior and Sherriesses for the time being shall appoint, and that the money be paid into the hands of Mr. Mathew French, one of the Sherriesses elected for the next ensueing yeare, whoe is to pay it out from time to time by the Lord Maiors order for the said uses.

1667.
Fire.
Candle-
light.

Assess-
ment.

Limit.

Lord
lieutenant
and council.

Applot-
ment.
Citty.
Suburbs.

Mathew
French.

[4.] Whereas alsoe Josua Allen, alderman, preferred a petition unto the said assembly, shewing that by order of a table of aldermen hee did advance fower hogsheads of French wine, rackt to be run out, the nine and twentieth day of May last past, being the birthday of his royall majestie that now is, which amounted to two and thirty pounds, tenn shillings, sterling, which sune the petitioner humbly praied might be paid him by an order of this assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be satisfied the said sune of two and thirty pounds, tenn shillings, sterling, out of the treasury of this citty, and that the Lord Maiors warrant and the said petitioners

Josua
Allen.

French
wine.
Charles II.
Birthday.

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1667. receipt shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for Roll xiv.
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the payment thereof.

Lovett,
Quelch,
masters
of workes.

Gates of
city.

[5.] Whereas alsoe Christopher Lovett and John Quelch, masters of the citty workes, did petition to the said assembly, shewing that, by an act of assembly of the nineteenth day of Aprill last past, they were ordered to take care to have the gates of this citty speedily amended, and for the perfecting the said worke the treasurer of this citty was to pay the petitioners the sume of twenty pounds, sterling, whoe accordingly had paid the same; but, forasmuch as the finishing the said worke would come to thirteene pounds, tenn shillings more, over and above the twenty pounds already paid, the petitioners humbly praied an order of this assembly for the speedy paying the said sume of thirteene pounds, tenn shillings: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe forthwith pay unto the said Christopher Lovett and John Quelch the sume of fowerteene pounds, sterling, upon the Lord Maiors warrant, the same to be employed towards the amending and repaireing of the citty gates, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the petitioners acquittance, shalbe sufficient to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.

Richard
Lord,
city agent.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Richard Lord, the citty agent, petitioned likewise to the said assembly, shewing that the petitioner was chosen by this citty to be agent for the citty, in which capacity hee had faithfully served this citty to the best of his ability for the space of two yeares and a halfe last past, and, for that the petitioner had not received any satisfaction for his paines, care and extraordinary expences therein, hee humbly praied the said assembly to lay downe some course for the satisfying him for his paines and care taken, as well for the time past as for the future, if this citty should thinck fitt further to imploy him in that affaire: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that

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the petitioner shall have the sune of fifty pounds, ^{1667.} sterling, out of the treasury of this citty, on the Lord Maiores warrant, for the petitioners satisfaction for his paines for the time past, and that for the future the petitioner shall have the sune of twenty pounds, sterling, ^{Salary.} per annum, to begin at Michaelmas next, to be paid him as aforesaid, for soe long time as the petitioner shalbe continued in the said imployment as agent for this citty, and that the petitioner doe account before the committee of agency for all such sumes of money as hee hath already received and disbursed upon the account of this citty in defending the severall suites commenced against this citty.

[7.] It is likewise ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, upon the petition of John Lovett, ^{John Lovett, gaoler.} goaler of Newgate, that the said John Lovett be continued in the said place of goaler of Newgate durement the ^{Newgate.} pleasure of the citty, hee giveing good security to save the citty harmeles from all escapes and damages which ^{Escapes.} shall or may at any time happen against the citty, such as the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall thinck fitt.

[8.] Whereas alsoe William Harvyne petitioned likewise ^{Harvyne.} unto the said assembly, shewing that hee had been imployed by this honourable citty in the building of the pesthowses on the island of Clantarffe, and in order ^{Pest-houses. Clontarf.} thereunto had bought of Mr. Thomas Crowe as many bricks as came to tenn pounds, six shillings, six pence, sterling, for which sune the petitioner was sued by the said Mr. Crowe and execution obteyned against him; and, forasmuch as the said petitioner tooke upp the said bricks for the citties use, hee therefore humbly praied ^{Bricks.} the said assembly to lay downe some course for the paying the said sune, and that the petitioner might be indemnified: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be paid the above mentioned sune of tenn pounds, six shillings, and six pence, sterling, out of the treasury of this citty,

1667. together with such costs of suite as the petitioner can make appeare before the Lord Maior and Sherriffes that hee had been putt unto, the same to be paid upon the Lord Maiors warrant; and that the Lord Maiors warrant and the petitioners receipt shalbe sufficient to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account. Roll xiv
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Lord
Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Lord Maior, Marke Quine, esquire; Sheriffs: Mathew French and Giles Mee.

Treasurer.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Mr. John Desmynieres, alderman, is chosen and elected treasurer of the citty of Dublin for the next ensuing yeare.

Masters of
works.

[2.] Mr. Philip Castleton and Mr. Joseph Dobson are chosen masters of the workes for the said yeare.

Auditors.

[3.] The Lord Maior, the Sheriffes, all the aldermen, Mr. John Smith, Mr. George Stoughton, Mr. John Partington, Mr. Warner Westenra, and Mr. John Dutton, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Mayor and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, are chosen auditors for the said citty for the said yeare.

Lord lieu-
tenant.

Officers.

Soldiers.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas in August last it was ordered by act of assembly that a petition should be presented to his grace, the lord lieutenant, for a redresse against the severall oppressions of the officers and souldiers on the inhabitants of this citty under the pretence of quartering; and whereas in pursuance of the said act there was an humble petition of the Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of this citty directed to his grace, the lord lieutenant, in which petition there was laid downe the severall grievances of the said officers and souldiers on the cittyzens and inhabitants of this citty, and praying a redresse of the same in such manner as in the said petition is mentioned; and whereas the right honourable Richard, earle of Arran,¹ and the

Earl of
Arran.

¹ Richard Butler, second son of Duke of Ormonde, was created earl of Arran, in 1662.

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respective officers of his majesties guards of horse and 1667.
foote, quartering in the citty of Dublin, have by their
humble petition to his grace, the lord lieutenant, taken
notice of the said petition to his grace, and in their said
petition have suggested that what is in the said petition Petition.
mentioned are high reflections on the officers and
souldiers of the said guards, eyther in committing or Guards.
suffering such oppressions to be committed by those Oppres-
under their commands, and therefore wonder how they sions.
come under soe unjust and heavy aspersion as in the Aspersion.
petition of the said Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and
cittyzens of this citty is expressed, and desired that a
way might be laid downe for a stricte examination of
the matters complained of; the petitioners therefore
humbly praied that a course might be laid downe in this
assembly to answer the said petition of the earle of
Arran and the said officers, and that a further course
might be taken to make good the allegations in the Allegations.
cittys petition mentioned: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that
Mr. Recorder doe prepare an answer to the said petition Answer.
of the said earle of Arran and the said other officers, and
that in the said answer they make their humble petition
to the lord lieutenant and councell, by whome the said
order on the said petition of the said earle of Arran and
the said other officers is made, that their lordshipps wilbe
pleased to appoint whome their lordshipps shall thinck
fitt, togeather with soe many of the cityzens of this
citty as their lordshipps shall alsoe thinck fitt, to examine Exami-
the said severall grievances in the petition of the said nation.
Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cityzens mentioned;
and that the Sherriffes of the said citty, whoe have beene Sheriffs.
in and since the year 1662 to this time, be required to
attend the said Lord Maior with their severall lists of Attendance.
their quartering of his majesties officers and souldiers in Lists of
this citty, whereby the better to make good the said quartering.
allegations in the said citties petition mentioned.

1667. [5.] Whereas certaine of the commones preferred their petition unto the said assembly, praying, for certaine reasons in their said petition set forth, that the greate
- Great mace. Lord Mayor. mace now carried before the Lord Maior of this citty, formerly belonging to sir Daniell Bellingham, knight and barronet, or such other mace as should be thought fitt, not exceeding the value of one hundred pounds, sterling, might be continued to be carryed before the Lord Maior, for the time being, and that the said mace might be paid for out of the treasury of this citty, and alsoe that an officer might be established for carrying the said mace, and such certaine sallary allowed him as should be thought fitt: therefore, on consideration had of the said petition, and whereas the said sir Daniell Bellingham is now obliged to give unto the citty soe much plate as amounts to sixty pounds, sterling, being a dozen of silver plates, for a fine for a lease of the howse wherein hee now liveth, scittuatt in Castle streete, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said sir Daniell Bellingham shall have and reteyne unto himselfe the said sixty pounds, sterling, in parte of payment of the said mace now carryed before the Lord Maior, and that there be allowed to the said sir Daniell Bellingham soe much money over and above the said sixty pounds as the said mace shalbe valued, the same to be valued by the Lord Maior, the Sherriffes, Mr. Partington, Mr. Stoker and Mr. Lord, or any three of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, and that soe much money be given to the said sir Daniel Bellingham as the said referees, or any three of them as aforesaid, shall judge fitting, provided the said valuation doe not exceed forty pounds, sterling, over and above the said sixty pounds before mentioned, and that the Lord Maiors warrant for the time being, and the said sir Daniells acquittance shalbe a sufficient discharge to the treasurer of this citty for the same. And it is further ordered that there be carryed before the Lord Maior, for
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the time being, the said mace, now used and accustomed 1667.
to be carried before the Lord Maior, and that the present
macebearer, Mr. Anthony Derry, be established the mace- Mace-
bearer of the said mace, the said office to be continued to bearer.
him dureing the pleasure of the citty, and that there be
allowed to him, the said Anthony [Derry], the yearly Allowance.
sum of twenty five pounds, sterling, to be paid quarterly
to the said Anthony Derry by the Lord Maiors warrant
to the treasurer.

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[6.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned like-
wise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas by an
act of the last Christmas assembly¹ it was ordered that
none of the numbers of this citty should continue to be of
the common counsell of this citty but such as should take Members
of common
council.
the oath of supremacy, and that all such whoe should not
take the said oath before the then next assembly should Oath of
supremacy.
be putt out of the rolle of numbers, but forasmuch as noe
course had bin taken in execucion and administering the
said oath, the said commons therefore humbly prayed the
said assembly to lay downe some course for putting the
said lawe in execucion : it is therefore ordered and agreed Execution
of law.
upon, by the authority aforesaid, that application be
forthwith made by this citty to his grace the lord Lord lieuten-
tenant and counsell, for the end in the petition ant and
council.
mencioned, and that if his grace shall thinck fit to
impower certaine persons for the administering the said Adminis-
tration of
oath.
oath, that then the said lawe be immediately putt in
execucion.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, upon the petition of William Kerby, Kerby.
that the said William Kerby be and is hereby established
in the office of sargeant at mace dureing the pleasure of Sargeant at
mace.
the citty, the said petitioner putting in security to
behave himselfe in the said office duly as hee ought to doe.

[8.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the

¹ See p. 400.

1667. Lightfoote. Newgate.	authority aforesaid, upon the petition of Ezekiehl Lightfoote, prisoner in Newgate, for certaine reasons set forth in his petition to this assembly, that the said petitioner be and is heerby forgiven the sune of forty shillings, sterling, imposed on him at the generall sessions of the peace.	Roll. xiv. m. 87 b.
Remission. Fine.		
Sword- bearer. Marshal. Gaoler. Water bailiffs.	[9.] That Thomas Chabenor, swordbearer, Edward Harris, marshal, John Lovett, goaler, James Wheatley and Richard Houghton, water bayliffes, Christopher Duffe, William Shelton, Luke Tompson, John Cannon and William Yeomans, officers at mace, shall abide in their aforesaid severall and respective offices, they giving good security to save the citty and Sheriffes harmelesse, the said several offices to be continued unto them dureing the pleasure of the citty.	
Officers at mace.		
Security.		
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise. ¹	m. 88.

December 2. Memorandum : That the second day of December, 1667, m. 88 b.
this law and order following was made and established
in full assembly then holden :

Whereas by an act of assembly beareing date the
thirtieth day of April last,² the number of hackney
coaches to be used in this citty and franchises of the same,
together with the rates and fair to be taken and
demaunded by them, as alsoe the sizes of the coach
horses to draw in the said coaches, hath been by a
full assembly then holden ascertained, ordered and
declared ; yet, through the perverseness and disobedience
of severall coachmen using the said hackney coaches,
none of the said rules, orders and constitutions hath been
hitherto observed, to the greate contempte of the good
government of this citty; and forasmuch as Rene Mezen-
diere, one of the gentlemen belonging to his grace, James,

¹ The Dublin Guild of merchants, on
14 October, 1667, resolved that any of
their masters or wardens who admitted
persons to freedom, except on quarter

days, in full assembly, should be liable
to a fine of one hundred pounds and
removal from the corporation.—Ms.

² See page 413.

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duke of Ormonde, lord lieutenant of this kingdome, have- 1667.

ing obtained a pattent from the king's majestie that now Patent.

is, inabling him, the said Rene Mezandire, his executors,

administrators or assignes, to appoint, limitt and ascertaine

such number of hackney coaches and coachmen to be and

exercise the said calling and imployment in this citty and

all other cittys, roads and townes corporate in and

throughout this kingdome of Ireland, hath, by the said

act of assembly, beene authorized to lycence a number of

hackney coaches within the franchises of this citty con-

formeing to the rules, rates and orders then appointed,

which said pattent as to the power thereby given and to

be exercised within the liberties of this citty is contrary

to the royall charters heretofore graunted to this honor-

able citty by severall kings of England, his majesties

Royal
charters.

royall progenitors, by which charters and by severall

statute lawes in force in this kingdome the good govern-

ment of this citty hath been committed to the chiefe

Govern-
ment of
city.

magistrates thereof, yet this citty, out of the abundant

love and respect they in spirit of gratitude beare to his

said grace, the duke of Ormonde, have ordered and

Duke of
Ormonde.

established, by the authority of the present assembly,

on a petition of certaine of the commons, that the said

Rene Mezandiere be and is hereby admitted to be the

master and overseere of the said number of coaches within

Master.
Overseer.

the precincts aforesaid, whoe is from time to time dureing

his life to cause such rules and orders now agreed on

Rules.

relateing to the said coachmen to be putt in execution ;

and in case any doe offer any disobedience to the said

Rene Mezandiere in the exercise of that trust, that he

acquaint the Lord Maior from time to time therewith, to

the intent that due punishment may be inflicted on the

Punish-
ment.

contemners of the order of this citty in the particulars

hereafter expressed and in this present assembly enacted :

Inprimis: That the several hackney coaches, to the

Orders.

number of thirty, plying within the franchises of this

citty doe pay a yearly tax to this city the sum of fower

Tax.

1667.	pounds, sterling, three pounds whereof to be to the use of the said Rene Mezandiere, and twenty shillings to the treasurer of this citty, towards maintenance of the common pavement thereof. 2. That none of the said number of coachmen shall use two coaches in the said limitts. 3. That they observe the rates and size of horses and prices set down in the former act of assembly. 4. That every coachman shall take a lycence under the hand and seal of office of the Lord Maior of this citty, for which each coachman shall pay tenn shillings, sterling. 5. That the Lord Maiors clerke from time to time being shall keepe a booke of entry of the names of such coachmen, and shall, by vertue of this act of assembly, receive the said yearly tax of fower pounds to the use aforesaid quarterly, the first quarters rent to be forthwith paid by the said coachmen on the taking their lycence. The second payment to be on or before Easter next; the third payment on or before midsomer day following, and the fowerth payment on or before Michaelmas day next; and that hee receive from each coachman the sume of five shillings, sterling, by the yeare, to be paid quarterly as aforesaid, for entring their names and receiving their rent, hee, the said clerke, giving a bond with security such as the Lord Maior shall accept of to make true account to the said Rene Mezandeire and the treasurer of this citty of the said money as aforesaid. 6. That each coachman doe cause the letters of his name and surname, togeather with the date of this present yeare and a certaine number from one to thirty, to be painted in oyle colour on the hinder parte of his coach, as the manner in London. 7. That they renew their lycence every yeare within a weeke after Michaelmas. 8. That on the death or removall of any of the persons now to be lycenced, the Lord Maior may appoint another to keepe up the said number of thirty, the person or persons soe to be brought in and lycenced to pay as a fine to this citty the sume of fifty shillings, sterling, into the hands of the treasurer for	Roll xiv. m. 88 b.
Pavement.		
Restriction.		
Horses.		
Fares.		
Licence.		
Book.		
Names.		
Payments.		m. 89
Names.		
Numbers.		
Renewal.		
Deaths.		
Appointments.		
Fine.		

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the use aforesaid. 9. That the said Rene Mezendeire doe ^{1667.} give an instrument in writing under his hand and seale ^{Instru-} to conforme and submitt to this act of assembly, notwithstanding any of the clauses or points in the said pattent ^{ment.} contained, within fowerteene daies after the date hereof.

10. That the said Rene Mezendeire may appoint three or fower sufficient coachmen of the said number to keepe ^{Coachmen.} travileing coaches into the country beyond seaven myles, ^{Travelling} at such rates as are in the said pattent sett forth, provided ^{coaches.} they doe enter their names and take the lycence of the

said Lord Maior as aforesaid. 11. That the rates by the former act of assembly for a coach with two horses to goe six miles from this citty and returne againe, be here- ^{Distances.} after enlarged to seaven myles on the said former rates. ^{Rates.}

12. That in case the said Rene Mezendiire shall happen to dye within twenty yeares after the date heerof, that then his executors, administrators or assignes shall by this act receive the one moyety of the said yearly tax for tenn yeares after the death of the said Rene Mezendiire, and noe longer, and the other halfe to be and remaine to the only use of this citty for the ends before mentioned.

13. That every hackney coachman thus lycenced shall give a bond to pay the said tax in manner and forme ^{Bonds.} heerby appointed before hee be lycenced. 14. That if

any hackney coachman not lycenced as aforesaid, shall presume to drive a coach to carry persons within this citty att any time heerafter, that the Lord Maior of this citty for the time being shalbe and is hereby impowred to imprison or otherwise restraine the said person or persons ^{Imprison-} as contemnners of the good government of this citty, as ^{ment.} labouring to continue and increase the nusance dayly ^{Restraint.} complayned of, by the using of excessive numbers of hackney coaches in this citty and franchises thereof.

1667, October 20.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—

[1.] Whereas certeine of the commons preferred their

1667.	petition unto this assembly, showing that there hath	Roll xiv. m. 90.
Mayors.	beene usually given to the severall Maiors of this citty	
Treasury of city.	for the time past some certeyne some of money out of the treasury of this citty besides the ordinary perquisitts	
Hospi- tality.	to him belonging, whereby the said Maiors might be the	
Dignity.	better enabled to keepe such hospitallity as might be	
Revenue.	suitable to the creditt of the said Maiors and dignity of this citty, with respect had to the ability of the said	
Magistracy of city.	cittys revenue; the petitioners therefore prayed the said assembly to ascertaine such a summe of mony as might agree with the ends aforesaid to be paid by the treasurer of this citty to the Lord Maior: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly,	
Allowance.	that the now Lord Maior, for the performance of his service in that office, and for the supporting of the honnour and dignity of the magistracy of this citty, be and is hereby allowed the sume of five hundred pounds, sterling, out of the treasury or other casuall revenues of this citty, the same to be paid quarterly by warrant from the Lord Maior; and that the Lord Maiors warrant and acquittance shall be a sufficient discharge to the tresurer of this citty for the same, the said summe to be paid to such person as the Lord Maior shall appoint for the use aforesaid.	
John Price.	[2.] Whereas also John Price petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, showing that whereas this citty had formerly granted unto the said petitioners a lease of a	
Wood quay.	parcell of ground situate on the Wood key, and formerly	
Exchange.	sett for an Exchange, for three score and one yeares, at the yearly rent of fifteene pounds, tenn shillings, and that	
Weymes.	Sir James Weymes, knight, pretending some intrest in	
Arthur.	the premises in the right of Robert Arthur, late of the said citty, alderman, deceased (who, as is aleaged, was	
White.	the assignee of Christopher White for parte of the	
Action.	aforesaid premises), had commenced his action of ejection	
Common pleas.	in his majesties court of common pleas for the tryall of the title of the premises, whereto the petitioner was	

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sumoned to appeare ; and forasmuch as the petitioner had 1667.
expended greate summes of mony in improveing of the
same premises, the petitioner being encouraged by his
said grannt so to doe, and a warranty in his lease to Warranty.
defend him against all persons claineing under the citty ;
and for that the said Christopher Whites lease was also
from the citty and precedent to the petitioners lease, as
is said ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said
assembly to take some speedy course for the defending
the said suite commenced against the petitioner, that the
petitioner or his servants might not be further disturbed -
in the same : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority aforesaid, that the consideracion of the
premises be and is hereby referred to the committee of Committee
of agency.
agency, who are to consider of the warranty mentioned
in the said lease, made to the petitioner, and to give
such directions in that affaire as to the said committee shall
be thought fitting.

[3.] Whereas also Nathaniel Foooukes petitioned like- Nathaniel
wise unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas in Foooukes.
Easter assembly, 1666, the petitioner obtayned a grannt Grant.
from this citty of a lease of the ferry over the river Ferry.
Annaliffy, for tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence Liffey.
from and after letters pattents should be passed to the Letters
citty of the same, provided the said letters pattents should patent.
be passed within three yeares, the petitioner paying tenn Annual
pounds per annum rent and to be at the charges in payment.
recovery of the same ; and for that the petitioner
intended to commence his action at law for the recovery
of the premises, which must be done in this cittys name,
the petitioner therefore humbly prayed an order of this
assembly for an authority under the citty seale to
commence and prosecute the said suite : it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that
the petitioner have authority under the citty seale to City seal.
prosecute his suite at law for the recovery of the
premises in the name of the citty, the same to be

1667. commenced and prosecuted by the petitioner at his owne charge, provided that no detriment doe fall upon this citty by the said grannt, and that the petitioner doe give bond of two hundred pounds, sterling, to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of the citty, to save the citty harmeless for or by reason of the said suite. Roll xiv. m. 90.

Bond.

William Harvey.

Scavenger to city.

Cleansing streets, Oxmantowne.

Paving.

Corn market, Bridge.

Gates.

[4.] Whereas also William Harvey, scavenger, preferred his petition unto the said assembly, and, for certayne reasons therein sett forth, humbly prayed to be continued and established in the employment of scavenger to this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be continued in his said imployment during the pleasure of the citty, provided the petitioner doe cleane the streets following, that is to say: St. Mary lane, in Oxmantowne, and St. Brides street, up to the end of Bride lane, and Golden lane, and that the petitioner doe also pave the old markt place, commonly called the Corne markt, within Newgate, and the Bridge, and under the respective Gates of the citty, and keepe the same paved and cleaned during his continuance in the said imployment, and that the petitioner doe also performe all other the agreements mencioned and conteyned in the said former grannt. m. 90 b.

Barrington, clock-maker, City clock.

Annual payment.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, upon the petition of Samuell Barrington, clockemaker, that the said Samuell be and is hereby admitted to be the keeper of the citty clock, and that the petitioner be allowed the sune of five pounds, sterling, yearly, for the lookeing to the said clock of the citty, the same to be paid quarterly by the treasurer of the citty to the petitioner by warrant from the Lord Maior for the time being, and the same to be continued to the petitioner durning the pleasure of the citty.

Joseph Kay, Common broker.

[6.] It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Joseph Kay be and is hereby admitted a common broker of the said citty durning the pleasure of the citty.

Roll xiv.
m. 92.

1667-8. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1667.

1667-8.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas the charters of this citty and other muniments and records of the same are so out of order and dispersed in many hands, that noe ready recourse could be had thereunto, to the greate prejudice of this citty, and for that if the said charters were engrossed in a vellum book, and the counter parte of leases and other muniments of this citty numbered and kept in good order, would be very advantageous to the citty for the preserveing their priviledges and rights; the petitioners therefore humbly prayed an order of this present assembly for the ordering of the premisses as this assembly should think fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the clerke of the Thollsell doe prepare one or more vellum bookes, and in the same to enter all and every the charters and muniments of this citty at the charge of the citty.

Charters

Muniments.
Records.

Leases.

Clerk of
Thollsel.
Vellum
books.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons peticioned alsoe unto the said assembly, shewing that there are severall arreares of rent due to the citty upon severall parcells of land whereon there are noe improvements, and the tennants thereof refuse to pay the arreares of rent, and there being noe distresse to be taken for the same, the said arreares are like to be lost unles some speedy course be taken for the recovery thereof; the petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly that a letter of attorney might be made eyther to the treasurer or citty agent to sue for the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the agent of this citty doe eyther reenter or otherwise demand and sue for the said arreares, the same to be done by and with the advice of the recorder of the citty, and that the said citty agent have an authority from this citty under the seale thereof to performe what is above ordered.

Arrears
of rent.Letter of
attorney.Agent of
citty.

Sea.

1667-8.

Roll xiv.
m. 92.Weigh
house.

City crane.

Craner.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that severall persons in this citty had taken to themselves a liberty (having the conveniency of roome and setting up of scales and storeing of goods) to appoint a weigh howse and a certaine sune for each draught, without the authority of this citty, whereby the citty Crane in a little time will be altogeather slighted and forgotten, which was soe erected and a sworne craner, that all persons comeing thither might without any partiality receive the benefit thereof: the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that the interest of the citty might be preserved and such persons prohibited: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that it be and is heerby referred to the Lord Maior and Sherriffes to consider of the premisses, and to call such parties as are therein concerned before them, whoe are heerby ordered to proceed therein according to the lawes and customes of the citty.

Charters.

Freemen.

Shops.

Foreigners.

Freedom.

Tradesmen.

Custom
of city.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the said commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that by the antient charters granted unto this citty by his majesties royall predecessors, none but freemen of the said citty should be permitted to keepe shopp to sell or vend any commodities within this citty, or use any trade therein, and forasmuch as many shopps within the citty and liberties thereof are taken upp with foreigners, whoe, contrary to the priviledges of this citty, use their trades therein without any application for their freedom; and therefore the petitioners humbly prayed an order of this assembly for the shutting upp of such shopps and removeing such tradesmen from this citty as are not free of the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall, on application to them made, cause the said evill to be removed, according to the custome of this citty; and if the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall

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apprehend any difficulty in the manner and method of 1667-8.
doeing the same, that in such case the recorder of this
citty is desired to assist the Lord Maior and Sherriffes
with his advice therein.

m. 92 b.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons pre-
ferred their petition unto the said assembly, shewing that
whereas by an act of assembly, beareing date the sixth day
of August last past, it was ordered that a certaine sune
of mooney should be levyed on the inhabitants of this Assess-
ment.
citty and suburbs for defraying the charge of fire and Charge.
candlelight for his majesties guards for this present yeare, Guards.
and that the Lord Maior of this cittie should yssue his
warrants for the collecting of the same, which was done
accordingly by the present Lord Maior; and the peti-
tioners further sett forth in their said petition that John John
Quelch, of the said city, upholder, in contempt of the Quelch.
good government of this cittie and contrary to the tenor
of his oath of freeman of the same, whereby hee is sworne
to be contributory to all manner of charges within the
said cittie, as a freeman ought to doe, did not only refuse Refusal of
to pay his part of the said charge, being the sune of two payment.
shillings, six pence, sterling, but alsoe called the said tax
unlawfull and unwarrantable, and that if the constables did
distreine upon him, hee would putt them to the expense
of a hundred pounds, sterling, in lawe, for which con- Contempt.
tempt the said Mr. Quelch was committed to the upper Committall.
room of the Thollsell, commonly called the howse of Tholsel.
the commons, according to the antient usages of this House of the
citty, whereupon the said Mr. Quelch, in further viola- Commons.
tion of his oath, did breake prison, by departing thence Prison.
without the leave of the Lord Maior, contrary to cus-
tome; by reason of which said further contempt the said
Lord Maior committed the said Mr. Quelch to the
marshalsey of this cittie, whoe thereupon sued a habeas Marshalsea.
corpus cum causa retornable before the right honourable
the lord cheife justice of Ireland, to the intent to wage Wager of
lawe with the said Lord Maior for his said committall. law.

1667-8.	The petitioners, therefore, prayed an order of this	Roll xi
Defence of suit.	assembly for the defending the said suite, soe as the said	m. 92 b
	Lord Maior might not suffer in doeing his duty incum- bent upon him, and to take such further order therein as this assembly should think fitt, that such evill example might not goe unpunished, which tendeth to the sub- version of the good government of this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that this citty of Dublin doe, by their	
Costs.	cittys agent, and at the costs and charges of the said citty, defend the Lord Maior of this citty in any suite or action which eyther is or shall be commenced or brought against him by the said Mr Quelch, for or in respect of the matter in the said petition mentioned; and it is further ordered that the said Mr. Quelch be and is heerby	
Suspension.	suspended from sitting and acting as a member of the common cowncell of the said citty untill such time as the said Mr. Quelch make his humble submission to the said Lord Maior; and if the said Quelch shall refuse to pay that humble submission which hee ought to give heerein as aforesaid, that then this assembly will further proceed in this affaire suitable to the greatness of the crime by the said Quelch committed.	
Corpora- tion of felt makers.	[6.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the autho- rity aforesaid, upon the humble petition of the master, wardens, and bretheren of the fraternity or corporation of felt makers, that the said corporation be esteemed and looked on by this assembly as a corporation according	
Letters patent.	to their letters pattents, granted unto them by his majestie, and that they be and are heerby received into the enjoyment of the rights, dignities, priviledges and stations of this citty, ¹ and that their letters patents be	
Enrolment.	enrolled amongst the records of this citty.	
Totty.	[7.] Whereas alsoe John Totty, alderman, and John	

¹ On second Friday after Easter, 1668, eleven "felt makers" were admitted to the franchise by special grace and in

consideration of presenting to the city of Dublin a piece of silver plate of the value of twelve pounds sterling.—m. 94.

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m. 92 b.

Sargeant, merchant, preferred their petition unto the said assembly, showing that the petitioner had a lease of a parcell of ground neere Hamons lane in Oxmantowne, which was fenced in by the late lord Massereene, and that the now lord Massereene denyeth that the citty hath any interest therein; and that the petitioners were advised by their cowncell at lawe that they cannot commence a suite in their owne names for the premisses, but in the cittyes, and therefore the petitioners humbly prayed an authority to be directed to the citty agent to prosecute the cittys interest therein, but at the petitioners charge: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioners have authority from the citty to sue in the name of the citty, provided the citty be not answerable for any costs, charges or damages that may falle out by reason of any such suite, and to that end it is further ordered that sufficient bonds be given by the petitioners to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty, conditioned for the saveing of the citty harmeless as aforesaid.

1667-8.
Sargeant.

Hamons
lane,
Oxman-
towne.

Lord
Massereene.

m. 93.

[8.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that George Surdevile, of the citty of Dublin, taylor, shall have a lease, for the terme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at Easter next, of a parcell of ground in St. Stephens streete, being parte and parcell of the lands of All Hallowes, conteyneing in length from the north to the kings pavement in the sowth fifty yards, and in breadth from east to west in the north six and twenty yards, and in breadth in the south from east to west fowerteene yards and a half, at the yearly rent of three pounds, sterling, and a couple of fatt capons, to be paid every Christmas to the Lord Maior for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, the said rent to be paid halfe yearly to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty over and above all taxes and other contributions, the petitioner surrendering his former intrest of the premisses unto the citty.

George
Surdevile.

St.
Stephen's
street.
All Hal-
lowes.

1667-8.
John
Quelch.

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Prisoners.
Newgate.
Tholsel
court.

Court of
guard.

[9.] Whereas John Quelch preferred his petition unto the said assembly, shewing that on the sixth and twentieth day of September, in the yeare of our Lord God, one thousand, six hundred, sixty six, that petitioner obteyned a warrant from the then Lord Maior to the treasurer of the said citty, grounded on an act of assembly, for the sume of nine pounds, one shilling and three pence, sterling, due to the petitioner for smiths worke in and about the securing the prisoners in his majesties goale of Newgate, which sume the petitioner did not receive, but was sued for the sume in the Tholsell courte of the said citty, and had the said sume recorded against him, with four pounds, eighteene shillings and three pence, costs of suite, and the petitioner further set forth, in his said petition, that hee had furnished the court of guard with chaires and other necessaries, for which the petitioner had expended the sume of four pounds, sterling, for which said money the petitioner had not any satisfaction, and therefore humbly praied that some course might be laid downe in this assembly for the payment thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the auditors of this citty doe forthwith ascertaine what is justly due unto the petitioner, and upon a certificat thereof unto the Lord Maior, that the said money soe ascertained be paid unto the petitioner by the Lord Maiors warrant to the threasurer, and that the said Lord Maiors warrant and petitioners receipt shalbe a sufficient discharge to the threasurer for payment thereof.

Wainman.

Dames
Gate.

King's
stables.

[10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Edward Wainman of the said citty, taylor, shall have a lease for the terme of ninty nine yeares, to commence at Easter next, of a parcell of grownd without Damas Gate next adjoining to the citty walle, and now in the possession of the said Edward Wainman, conteyneing in length, on the west side from Damas Gate, on the north, southward to the kings stables

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towards the Castle tower along the citty walle, one hundred, seaventy and six feete and a halfe; and in breadth, from west to east from the citty wall at the sowth end by the said stables, one and twenty feete and a halfe; and in length, from the said stables to Damas streete on the east side, the like number of one hundred, seaventy and six feete and a halfe; and in breadth, at the north end from the citty wall, six and twenty feete and one inch; and in breadth in the middle parte thereof, eight and twenty feete; the petitioner paying as a fine to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the said citty, the sune of fifty pounds, sterling, and at the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, and a couple of fatt capons at Christmas yearely to the Lord Maior of the said citty for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at the election and choice of the Lord Maior, the petitioner first surrendring his former lease of the premisses unto the citty; and it is further ordered that such other clauses, covenants and provisoes be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall think fitt.

1667-8.
Castle
tower.

City wall.

Fine.

[11.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas contrary to the antient customes and usages of this citty, many persons, both freemen and others, doe frequently, both on markett daies and other daies, sett forth stalles in the streetes, and there expose to sale all manner of goods and marchandize, to the great hindrance and detriment of the shopkeepers, and incumbrance of the streetes, and therefore the petitioners humbly praied that an order might be laid downe in this present assembly that from henceforth none, either freemen or others, except in time of publique faires, sett forth any stalls in the streete to expose any goods or marchandize to sale except victualls only: therefore, on consideration had of the said petition, and for that it is evident that the said stalles are become a very greate nuisance to this citty, and for divers other reasons induceing this assembly

Market
days.
Stalls in
streets.
Sales.

Shop-
keepers.

Public fairs.

Merchan-
dize.
Victualls.

1667-8	thereunto, it is ordered that the Lord Maior for the time	Roll xiv. m. 93 b.
Prohibition	being doe prohibitt all manner of persons, as well strangers as freemen, from keepinge of stalls in such manner as above is desired, except as above is excepted. And it is alsoe ordered that the Lord Maior be desired to cause proclamation to be made for the keepinge of the fares heertofore held in this citty in such manner and place, and at such times of the yeare, as the same may be held by the lawes, charters, and customes of this citty.	
Proclama- tion. Fairs in citty.		
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise.	m. 91.
1668.	1668. Second Friday after Easter. ¹	m. 94.
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise. ²	m. 94 b.
Mayor.	John Forrest, alderman, is chosen and elected Maior of the said citty for the next ensuing yeare. William Gressingham and Mr. John Liniger are chosen and elected Sherriffes of the said citty for the said yeare.	
Sheriffs.		
	1668. Fourth Friday after 24th June.	m. 95.
	Laws, orders and constitutions :—[1] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by an act of the last Michaelmas assembly it was ordered that the greate mace, now carried before the Lord Maior, should be valued by certaine persons nominated in the said assembly, which was done accordingly; and the said mace being valued to be worth ninety-three pounds, eightene shillings, nine pence, whereof there was the sume of sixtie pounds, sterling, formerly allowed by the said assembly, unto sir Daniel Bellingham, knight and barronett, in parte of satisfaction of the said mace, hee, the said sir Daniell Bellingham, being obliged to pay soe much unto the citty, and the remainder, being thirty- three pounds, eightene shillings and nine pence, is still oweing to him, the said sir Daniell; the petitioners	

¹ Easter day, 22nd March, 1667-8.² See p. 436.

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m. 95.

therefore humbly prayed an order of the said assembly ^{1668.}
for payment of the said thirty three pounds, eightene ^{Payment.}
shillings, nine pence unto the said sir Daniell Bellingham,
pursuant to the former order of assembly : it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said
assembly, that the said sir Daniell Bellingham doe pay
and satisfy himselfe the said thirty three pounds,
eightene shillings and nyne pence out of such moneys
of the citty as are now in the hands of the said sir
Daniell Bellingham, and that the same be allowed him
upon his account.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assembly, praying, for certaine reasons in
their said petition set forth, that Mathew Spring, master <sup>Mathew
Spring.</sup>
of arts, might be appointed scoole master of the free <sup>Free school
of city.</sup>
scoole of this citty : it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the said Mathew
Spring shall be and is heerby made and constituted
scoole master of the free scoole aforesaid, with all the <sup>School-
master.</sup>
perquisites thereof, to have and to hold the same ^{Perquisites.}
dureing the pleasure of the citty ; and that the said scoole
be viewed by the masters of the workes, and be by them
forthwith repaired and putt in good order, and that the ^{Repairs.}
said scoole be twice in the yeare visitted by the Lord ^{Visitations.}
Maior and Sheriffes, that is to say, on every fourth day
of December and fourth day of June, yearly, and that
Mr. Francis Fletchers former grant of the premisses by ^{Fletcher.}
the citty be and is hereby declared to be void.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that the threa- <sup>Treasurers
of city.</sup>
surers of this citty for theise severall yeares last past
had not duly given up their accounts to the auditors of ^{Accounts}
the citty, which had much obstructed the good of the <sup>Obstruc-
tion.</sup>
citty, and therefore humbly prayed an order of the said
assembly for the succeeding treasurers to give bond unto ^{Bonds.}
this citty, and to take an oath before they enter into the ^{Oath.}
office to perfect their said account in such convenient

1663. time as should be thought fitt: it is therefore ordered Roll xiv. m. 39.
 that the threasurer of the citty for the time being doe,
 before his entring into the said office of treasurer of
 Amount. this citty, enter into bonds of two thousand pounds to
 the Lord Maior of this citty for the time being, to the
 Conditions. use of the said citty, which said bond is to be conditioned
 that the said treasurer shall, upon oath to be adminis-
 tered to him by the Lord Maior for the time being, give
 a true, perfect, and just account of all the proflitts,
 certaine and casuall, of the said citty with which hee
 ought to be charged dureing his being treasurer, the
 said account to be made, given and audited before the
 Auditors. auditors of the said citty, within four weekes next after
 notice thereof given to the said treasurer, or left att the
 Notice. house of the said treasurer; the said notice to be in
 Lord writing from the Lord Maior of the citty for the time
 Mayor. being, under the hand of the Lord Maior for the time
 being.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons peti-
 tioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by the
 antient and lawdable custome of this citty, the lymitts
 Riding and franchises thereof have been usually ridden every
 franchises. third yeare; and forasmuch as the said usadge had bin
 omitted for some yeares last past, and now cometh in
 course to be ridden by the present Lord Maior, and the
 Charge. charge thereof had beene formerly defrayed by the citty;
 the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that the usuall
 charge of rideing the said franchises might be paid to the
 present Lord Maior out of the treasury of this citty: it
 is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
 of the said assembly, that the treasurer of the citty doe m. 95 b.
 Payment. pay unto the present Lord Maior of this citty the sune
 of seaven pounds, tenn shillings, being the usuall allow-
 ance given to the Maiors for the defraying the charges in
 the said rideing, and that the said rydeing be for the
 Observance. future diligently observed by the Lord Maior for the
 time being, at such time and in such manner as heerto-

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m. 95 b.

fore hath beene usuall and accustomed, and that every ^{1668.}

Lord Maior faileing to ride the said fringes, as aforesaid, ^{Fringes.}
shall forfeite the sume of twenty pounds, sterling, the ^{Forfeiture.}
same to be deducted out of the sallary by this citty
allowed to the Lord Maior for the time being, of which
the treasurer of this citty for the time being is heerby
required to take notice, and to deduct the same
accordingly.

[5.] Whereas alsoe Richard Lord, goldsmith, petitioned ^{Lord, goldsmith.}
unto the said assembly, praying an order of this assembly
for reimbursing him twenty five pounds, tenn shillings, <sup>Expendi-
ture.</sup>
by him laid out in buying of six hogsheads of Burdeux ^{Bordeaux.}
clarett wine, which were expended and run out upon the ^{Claret.}
three and twentieth day of Aprill, and the nine and
twentieth of May last past, the one being the day of his
majesties coronation, and the other being the day of
commemorating his majesties birth and happy restoration: <sup>Commemo-
rations.</sup>
it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe pay to the
petitioner the said sume of twenty five pounds, tenn ^{Payment.}
shillings; and that the said petitioners receipt of and
acquittance for the said money shall be a sufficient
discharge to the threasurer for the same.

[6.] Whereas alsoe Abell Ram, goldsmith, petitioned <sup>Ram,
goldsmith.</sup>
unto the said assembly, praying to be paid the sume of
forty pounds, six shillings, sterling, due unto him ever ^{Debt.}
since sir Hubert Adrians yeare of Mayoralty,¹ for six
new maces for the officers, and for garnishing the ^{Maces.}
sword: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by ^{Sword.}
the authority aforesaid, that the auditors of the citty ^{Auditors.}
accounts doe state the account of the petitioner, and
what they find to be justly due to the petitioner upon
ascertaineing thereof, the said Lord Maior to yssue his
warrant to the treasurer for payment thereof, and that ^{Payment.}
the petitioners receipt, together with the said Lord

¹ See pp. 180, 194.

1668. Maiors warrant, shalbe sufficient to the treasurer to have the same allowed upon his account. to Roll xiv
m. 95 b.

Wayman. [7.] Whereas alsoe Edward Wayman, taylor, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that in Easter assembly last hee obtained a grant of a lease from this citty for ninety nine yeares of a parell of ground without Damaske gate, for which he was to pay fifty pounds fine, and forasmuch as the petitioner had noe notice of the post assembly appointed for sealeing his lease, soe that the petitioner could not have the said lease perfected, pursuant to the said grant, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to renew his said grant, that hee might have his lease perfected the next post assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioners former grant be renewed according as by the petitioner is desired.

John Quelch. [8.] Whereas alsoe John Quelch petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying an order of this assembly for the prohibiting any person or persons whatsoever for the future openly to expose to sale any fish whatsoever in any other partes of this citty or suburbs then in the common place appointed for the fish markett: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that it be and is heerby referred to the Lord Maior for the time being to consider of the premisses, and to doe therein for the petitioners releife as hee shall think fitt, according to the lawes of this citty.

Henry Langford. [9.] Whereas alsoe Henry Langford, clarke, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying a grant of the presentation of the parsonadge of Rathdrume, in the county of Wickloe, under this cittys seale, and alsoe to grant him a lease of the impropriate tythes of the said parish, for such terme of yeares and yearely rent as this assembly should think fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner shall have the presentation under the seale of the

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m. 96.

citty, according to the usuall forme of grants of that 1668.
nature, and that hee shall have a lease of the impropriate
tythes for the terme of one yeare, to commence from May Tithes.
day last before the date heerof, at the yearely rent of Rent.
six pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the
citty, for the use of the citty, and that such clauses be
incerted in the said deed as the recorder shall think
fitt.

[10.] Whereas alsoe Samuell Barrington, keeper of the Barrington.
Tholsell clock, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, Tholsel
praying, for certaine reasons in his petition sett forth, clock.
that this citty would grant him an augmentation of his
yearely sallary of five pounds, sterling, formerly granted Salary.
unto him by act of assembly for the keepeing the said
clock: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that the petitioners sallary be
augmented by twenty shillings more to be added to the
said five pounds, in all makeing the sume of six pounds
per annum.

[11.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, that Darby Kegan be and is heerby Darby
established in the place of drum major to this citty in the Kegan
stead of John Platt, deceased, dureing the pleasure of the Drum
citty, with such allowances and perquisites as formerly major.
the drum majors have had.

[12.] Whereas alsoe Tabitha Platt, relict of John Tabitha
Platt, petitioned likewise to the said assembly, praying Platt,
an order of this assembly for the paying unto her the
sume of eight pounds, sterling, due to her said husband
for ringing the nine a clock and fower a clock bell: it is Bell.
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that it be and is heerby referred to the
auditors of the citty account, to state the account of the
petitioners said husband, and what they find to be justly
due to the said petitioner, upon the ascertainment thereof,
the said Lord Maior is to yssue his warrant to the trea-
surer for payment of the same; and that the petitioners

1668. receipt, together with the said Lord Maiors warrant, Roll xiv. m. 96.
 shall be sufficient to the treasurer to have the same
 allowed upon his account.
- Franchise. Admissions to franchise. m. 96 b.

1668.—August 11.

- Laws, and orders:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the m. 97.
 commons preferred a petition unto the said assembly,
 showing that whereas the deanes of the cathedrall
 churches of the Holy Trinity and St. Patrick's, Dublin,
 lately preferred a petition unto his excellency, the lord
 deputy, and councell, concerneing tuneable rings of large
 bells, and two faire audible clocks and chimes which
 they desired might be put upp in those cathedralls, where-
 upon his excellency and lordshipps were pleased to send
 their letters of recomendation unto the said Lord Maior,
 Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens for their speedy further-
 ance of that good worke, and a bell founder now being
 come from the citty of Bristoll to agree for the doeing of
 the same, whoe, together with his fellowes, hath sett up
 a ring of bells in the citty of Waterford, about a month
 since, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed the said
 assembly that some effectuall course might be thought on
 in this assembly for the cheerfull carrying on of the said
 good worke: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
 the authority of the said assembly, that the aldermen and
 deputy aldermen of the respective wards, and church
 wardens of every parish within this citty, suburbs and
 liberties thereof, or any two of them, doe forthwith take
 the voluntary subscriptions of the severall freemen and
 other inhabitants within their severall wards and
 parishes of all such sumes of money as they shall be
 willing to contribute towards the carrying on of the
 worke in the petition mentioned; and that the said
 subscriptions soe taken be forthwith returned to the Lord
 Maior and Sherriffes of the said citty for the time being,
 together with the names of those persons in the said
- Cathedral churches.
- Bells. Clocks. Chimes.
- Recommendation.
- Bell founder. Bristol.
- Waterford.
- Aldermen.
- Subscriptions. Wards. Parishes.
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severall wards and parishes whoe doe not subscribe or 1668.
pay anything upon the said recomendation from his
excellency, the lord deputy, and cowncell, and upon such Lord
returne, the said Lord Maior and Sherriffes are desired deputy and
to intimate the same to the deanes of the severall cathe- Deans.
dralls, and that what money shall be soe subscribed to
be paid by order of the Lord Maior and Sherriffes, shall
be collected by such person or persons as they shall
appoint, and paid into the hands of alderman Josua Josua
Allen, whoe is heereby authorized to dispose of the same Allen.
upon warrant of the Lord Maior and Sherriffes for the
time being towards the said good worke, provided that
the deane and chapter of Christ Church doe take Christ
effectuall care for the ringing of the greate bell of the church.
said church, every day at four of the clock in the morne- Great bell.
ing, and nine of the clock at night, as formerly hath Ringing.
beene accustomed, without any charge of the Lord Maior, Hours.
Sherriffes, comons and cittyzens of this citty, or their Custom.
successors, for the same.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons peti-
tioned likewise unto the said assembly praying a speedy
course to be laid down in this assembly for the defraying
the charge of fire and candlelight for the horse and Fire.
foote guards in this citty for the next ensuing yeare: it Light
is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority Guards
aforesaid, that the inhabitants of this citty, suburbs and
liberties thereof be assessed and charged with the sune Assess-
of one hundred and twenty pounds, sterling, for answer- ment.
ring the ends in the petition mentioned, and that the
Lord Maior and Sherriffes for the time being be and
are heereby authorized to applott the said sune soe to
be assessed on the severall parishes of the said citty, Parishes.
suburbs and liberties, as in former cases hath beene used,
and the sune soe applotted to be levyed by the Lord
Maiors warrant, and collected by such persons as the Collection.
Lord Maior and Sherriffes for the time being shall
appoint; and that the money soe collected be paid into

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the hands of Alderman John Totty, whoe is to pay it out from time to time, on the Lord Maiors warrant, for the said uses; and it is further ordered that the sum of twenty pounds, parte of the said one hundred and twenty pounds, be sett aparte and paid by the like warrant from the Lord Maior to the coheires of Alderman Turner, deceased, for the rent of the guard howse neere the Tholsell.

Turner.

Guard
house,
Tholsel.

Newgate.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that John Lovett, gaoler of Newgate, shalbe continued in his said inmployment dureing the pleasure of the citty.

Heydon.

Officer at
mace.

[4.] That John Heydon be and is heerby established an officer at mace, dureing the pleasure of the citty, in the place of Luke Tompson, deceased.

Water
bailiffs.

[5.] That James Wheatley and Richard Houghton, water bayliffes, be and are heerby continued in their said employments, dureing the pleasure of the citty.

Duffe,
officer at
mace.

[6.] That Christopher Moorehead be and is heerby established deputy unto Christopher Duffe, one of the officers at mace, dureing the pleasure of the citty, in regard the said Duffe is growne old and not able to officiat in the said place as formerly; and that the said Duffe shall, dureing the pleasure of the citty, receive and enjoy such perquisitts as appertaineth unto the said office, and which hee formerly received.

Cannon,
officer at
mace.

[7.] That John Cannon, one of the officers at mace, be and is heerby continued in his said employment dureing the pleasure of the citty.

Kerby, mace
bearer.

[8.] That William Kerby, macebearer, be and is heerby continued in his said employment dureing the pleasure of the citty.

Clarke,
officer at
mace.

[9.] That Phillip Clarke be and is heerby established an officer at mace, dureing the pleasure of the citty, in the place and stead of William Yeomans, deceased.

Shelton.

[10.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, on the petition of William Shelton,

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mace bearer, that Thomas Williams be and is heerby established and appointed deputy unto the said William Shelton, dureing the pleasure of the citty, in regard the said William Shelton is growen old and not able to officiate in his place as formerly.

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bearer.

1668. Third Friday after 29 September.

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Lord Mayor: John Forrest; Sheriffes: William Gressingham and John Linacre.

Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Marke Quine, alderman, is chosen and elected treasurer of the said citty for the next ensuing yeare.

Treasurer

[2.] Mr. Mathew French and Mr. Giles Mee are chosen and elected masters of the citty workes for the next ensuing yeare.

Masters of
works.

[3.] The Lord Maior, Sherriffes, the aldermen, Mr. John Smith, Mr. George Stoughton, Mr. John Partington, Mr. John Dutton, Mr. John Sergeant, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes of the said citty to be alwayes two, are chosen auditors of the said citty for the said yeare.

Auditors.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that there had beene usually given to the severall Maiors of this citty, for the time past, some certaine sune of money out of the treasury of this citty for the more honourable support of the dignity of Mayoralty in this citty, the said petitioners therefore humbly prayed the said assembly that such allowance might be given to the present Lord Maior as should be by the said assembly thought fitt and suitable to the necessity of the occasion, that the honour of this citty might be maintained: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the now Lord Maior, for the performance of his service in that office, and for the support of the honour and dignity of the magistracy of this citty, be and is heerby allowed the sune of five hundred pounds, sterling, out of the

Mayors.

Supporta-
tion.

Honour of
city.

Allowance.

1668. treasury or other casuall revenues of this citty, the same Roll xiv.
10. 167. to be paid quarterly by warrant from the Lord Maior; and that the Lord Maiors warrant and acquittance shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer of this citty for the same, the said sune to be paid to such persons as the Lord Maior shall appoint for the use aforesaid.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying that some course might be taken in the said assembly for callinge the
Treasurers of city. severall treasurers of this citty to give up their accounts in such sort as by the said assembly should be thought fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
Accounts. authority aforesaid, that the severall treasurers of this citty who have not hitherto accompted, and the Sheriffes and all other persons who may be charged to render any accounts unto the citty, doe forthwith give their accounts
Auditors. to the auditors of the citty upon summons from the Lord Maior, for the time being, or otherwise that all such accomptants be proceeded against according to lawe, and
Proceedings. as the cittyes councell shall advise, and that the agent of this citty have authority, under the cittyes seale, to
Suits. commence and prosecute such suite or suites against them in the cittyes name, from time to time, as shall be requisite, the same to be done at the cittyes charge.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned m. 99 b. likewise unto the said assembly, praying, for certaine reasons in the said petition set forth, that noe usher whatsoever might be placed in the Free Schoole belonging to this citty under Mathew Spring, the present schoolemaster thereof, without the authority and approbation of this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that from henceforth noe usher whatsoever be placed in the said schoole under the said master Spring, without the authority and approbation of this citty, as in the said petition is desired.

William Smith. [7.] Whereas alsoe William Smith, alderman, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that the

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said petitioner, on his last account as treasurer of the said citty for the yeare ending at Michaelmas, 1650, was charged with the fines of the sessions for the said yeare, amounting to the sume of fifty pounds, nine shillings and four pence, which sume not being received by him, hee would have left in super, as was just for him to doe ; but the auditors whoe had the heareing of the accompt would not allow it as a super, but left it as a debt upon the said petitioner, and alsoe the said auditors did refuse to allow the said petitioner the sume of eight pounds, and two shillings, due for pownadge of money disbursed by him for the use of the said citty, whereby the said petitioner is made debtor the sume of fifty eight pounds, eleaven shillings and four pence, which is noe way due from him, and therefore prayed, in regard the said petitioner is now to passe his last account, and being desirous to make all reckonings cleere, that the said assembly would lay downe an order to the auditors of this citty, whoe are to take the said petitioners account, not only to allow the sumes abovesaid unto the said petitioner, but all such other sumes as hee should leave in super, except such as the said auditors shall make appeare to have beene received by him or his order ; and also to allow of all such payments as hee had made for the use of the citty, and such other sumes as hee is overcharged, which were due unto the said petitioner from the said citty : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the auditors whoe shall take the petitioners next account be desired and heerby impowered to give such remedy to the petitioner in the premisses in the petition set forth as the petitioner shall reasonably desire, or otherwise to certify their reasons thereof, whereon the petitioner may prefer his petition for reliefe therein to the next assembly ; and that the petitioner doe perfect his last account before the auditors of this citty before the first day of November next.

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Treasurer.

Fines.

Account

Pownadge.

Auditors.

Receipts.

Payments.

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Fletcher.
Free
school.

[8.] Whereas Francis Fletcher, late master of the Free Roll xiv.
m. 100 b. schoole, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying to be paid his last quarters sallary, due unto him from this citty at Michaelmas last, as master of the free schoole: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe pay the petitioner his last quarter's sallary upon the Lord Maiors warrant, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, with the petitioners receipt, shall be sufficient for the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.

Salary.

Anthony
Derry,
mace-
bearer.

[9.] Whereas alsoe Anthony Derry petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying such an allowance for his paines as macebearer to the Lord Maior of this citty for the first two yeares of his said service, as the said assembly should think fitt: therefore, on consideration had of the said petition, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be paid the sume of thirty pounds, sterling, out of the treasury of the citty for his first two yeares service in his said employment, the same to be paid on the Lord Maiors warrant to the treasurer; and that the Lord Maiors warrant, together with the petitioners receipt, shall be sufficient to have the same allowed the treasurer on his account.

Payment.

Franchise.

Admissions to franchise.

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Ridgley
Hatfeild.
Accounts.

Treasurer.

Tholsel
clock.

1668. November 9. Laws and orders:—[1.] Whereas m. 160. Ridgley Hatfeild, alderman, petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that hee, being passing his accounts as treasurer, and that hee had disbursed and laid out for the ornament and necessary use of the citty in the time of his sherrivalty, about the repaireing of the Tholsell clock and dyall, some moneys, the said petitioner humbly prayed an order of this assembly for the m 100 b. auditores of this citty to allow unto the said petitioner on his said account soe much money as hee should make

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appeare to be laid out and disbursed for the same: it is 1668.
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of
the said assembly, that the auditors of this citty doe
allow unto the petitioner upon his account all such
money as the petitioner shall make appeare to be by
him laid out and disbursed about the premisses above
mentioned.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assembly, shewing that captain John
Quelch, late one of the Sherriffes of this honourable
citty, was by an act of assembly, made in Christmas
assembly last,¹ for severall reasons in the said account
mentioned, suspended from sitting and acting as a
member of the common councell of this citty, and for
that the said Mr. John Quelch, being an antient inhabi-
tant of this citty, and served severall offices in the same,
the said petitioners humbly prayed the said assembly to
readmit the said Mr. Quelch to sitt and act as a member
of the common councell of this citty, as formerly, any
former act to the contrary notwithstanding: it is there-
fore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the
said assembly, that the said captain John Quelch, for
certaine reasons, moving that assembly upon his submis-
sion to be made unto the Lord Maior, such as his Lord-
shipp shall approve of, be and is heerby readmitted into
the numbers of this citty, to sitt and act as a member of
the common councell of the said citty, any former act
of assembly to the contrary notwithstanding.

[3.] Whereas William Harvy, skavinger, petitioned
likewise unto the said assembly, praying to be continued
in the place of receiveing the tolle of the markt: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that the said petitioner, William Harvy, be
and is heerby continued in his employment of skavinger
of this citty untill Michaelmas next, under the same
conditions and proposalls which hee now enjoyeth the

¹ See p. 435.

1668. same; and that if the said William Harvy shall refuse Roll. xiv.
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to accept of this present grant, that then, upon his
refusall of the same, the Lord Maior of this citty, for the
time being, is heerby authorized to take effectual care
for the collecting the tolle of the markett and cleanseing
the streetes of this citty, as hee shall think fitt, untill
Michaelmas aforesaid, in the best manner that hee can;
and it is further ordered that a petition be preferred unto
the next Easter assembly for the setting and disposing
of the said tolle for the best advantage of the citty, as the
assembly shall think fitt.

1668. December 10.

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Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas
certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assem-
bly, shewing that by the antient and royall charters of
his majesties most noble progenitors, kings and queenes
of England, granted to this citty, all freemen of this
citty which are resident and inhabiting heere are freed
and discharged from beareing any office in any other
county then in the county of this citty dureing their
said residence; that, notwithstanding the premisses, the
said petitioners were given to understand that Daniell
Wybrants, one of the aldermen and a freeman of this citty,
is nominated to serve in the office of sherrivalty for the
county of Dublin this next ensueing yeare, which, if
allowed without contradiction or notice taken thereof by
this citty, may be a means of utterly looseing the antient
priviledges of this citty in this behalfe: the said
petitioners therefore humbly praied the said assembly
that an order might be laid downe, whereby timely
application may be made by this citty to his excellency,
the lord deputy, and councell, to the ends the said antient
priviledges granted to this citty might be maintained, and
their charters in that behalfe be allowed, that soe the
cittizens of this citty might not for the future be
troubled therein: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon,

Cleaneing
streets.

Ancient
charters.

Freemen.

Offices.

Daniel
Wybrants.

Sheriff.
County of
Dublin.

Lord
deputy and
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by the authority of the said assembly, that a petition be ^{1668.} forthwith drawn and preferred in the name of the Lord ^{Petition.} Maior, Sherriffes, comons and cittyzens of this citty, to his excellency, the lord deputy, and counsell, setting forth the matter in the petition mentioned, and praying releife therein, and praying an allowance of this cittyes charters in that behalfe.

[2.] Whereas alsoe Richard Lord, the citty agent, ^{Richard Lord, city agent.} petitioned unto the said assembly, praying an augmentation of his former allowance or sallary allowed unto him by this honourable citty, for his care and paines taken in solliciting the weighty affaires of this citty: it is ^{Affairs of city.} therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the sume of tenn pounds, sterling, be and is heerby added to the petitioners former allow- ^{Allowance.} ance of twenty pounds, the same to be paid as the former sume of twenty pounds per annum is ordered to be paid; the said additionall allowance to comence at Michaelmas last, and to determine at Michaelmas next.

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1668-9. Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1668.

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Laws, orders and constitutions:—[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth that whereas in consideration of the greate charge the present Lord Maior is at in the supporting the creditt and honour of this citty in the office of Mayoralty, the five hundred pounds, sterling, allowed to ^{Mayoralty.} his lordshipp by act of the last Michaelmas assembly, to be paid quarterly, would not, if soe paid, answer his lordshippes present occasions and disbursements: the ^{Disbursements.} petitioners therefore humbly prayed that the said assembly would be pleased to order his lordshipps said sallary of five hundred pounds to be paid him out of the ^{Salary.} first moneys that should come into the treasury of this citty, except such necessary and urgent payments as must of necessity be first paid: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that

- 1668-9. the treasurer of this citty doe give an assignement unto such as the Lord Maior shall appoint, for his lordships use, of the sune of two hundred and fifty pounds, sterling, due to this citty at Michaelmas last out of his majesties receipt of exchequer, the same to be paid the said Lord Maior in parte of his allowance of five hundred pounds granted unto him by this citty the last Michaelmas assembly ; and that the said Lord Maiors warrant, with the receipt of such as shall be soe appointed as aforesaid, shall be sufficient to the treasurer to have the same allowed on his accompt. Roll xiv.
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- Exchequer. receipt of exchequer, the same to be paid the said Lord
Allowance. Maior in parte of his allowance of five hundred pounds granted unto him by this citty the last Michaelmas assembly ; and that the said Lord Maiors warrant, with the receipt of such as shall be soe appointed as aforesaid, shall be sufficient to the treasurer to have the same allowed on his accompt.
- Robert Newcomen. [2.] Whereas alsoe Robert Newcomen preferred a petition unto the said assembly, setting forth that hee had beene imployed by the late Lord Maior of this citty to admeasure the annceient fortificacion or lyne of this citty, and alsoe in surveighing and setting forth seaven acres of land on Oxmantowne Greene, which were granted by this honourable citty to his grace the lord duke of Ormonde, and that as yet hee had not received any satisfaction for the same ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assembly to allow him some satisfaction for his paines in and about the premisses : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe forthwith pay unto the petitioner, on the Lord Maiors warrant, the sune of five pounds, sterling, in consideration of the premisses, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the petitioners receipt, shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.
- Measurement. to admeasure the annceient fortificacion or lyne of this
Survey. citty, and alsoe in surveighing and setting forth seaven
Oxmantowne. acres of land on Oxmantowne Greene, which were granted by this honourable citty to his grace the lord duke of Ormonde, and that as yet hee had not received any satisfaction for the same ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assembly to allow him some satisfaction for his paines in and about the premisses : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe forthwith pay unto the petitioner, on the Lord Maiors warrant, the sune of five pounds, sterling, in consideration of the premisses, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the petitioners receipt, shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.
- Duke of Ormonde. any satisfaction for the same ; the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this assembly to allow him some satisfaction for his paines in and about the premisses : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the treasurer of this citty doe forthwith pay unto the petitioner, on the Lord Maiors warrant, the sune of five pounds, sterling, in consideration of the premisses, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the petitioners receipt, shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.
- Payment. pay unto the petitioner, on the Lord Maiors warrant, the sune of five pounds, sterling, in consideration of the premisses, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the petitioners receipt, shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account.
- Paley. [3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Jonathan Paley shall have a lease of the Old Crane at the lower end of Winetavernestreete, with the fees and perquisitts thereunto belonging, for the terme of one and twenty yeares, to commence at Michaelmas next, hee paying as a fine to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, the sune of twenty
- Old Crane, Wine-tavern street.

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pounds, sterling, and the yearely rent of fifteene pounds, 1668-9.
sterling, to be paid to the Sherriffes of the citty for the
time being yearely, togeather with a couple of fatt capons
to the Lord Maior of the said citty at Christmas yearely,
or five shillings in lieu thereof, and that such further
clauses be inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall
think fitt; the said rent to be paid over and above all
taxes, subsidies and charges whatsoever, provided that
the members and wardens of the Trinity guild, calleing ^{Trinity}
such of the bretheren to their assistance as they shall ^{guild.}
think fitt, doe examine and ascertain what fees and ^{Fees.}
duties the petitioner shall take for craneage and ^{Craneage.}
wharfeage, the same to be by them certified to the Lord ^{Wharfeage.}
Maior before the next post assembly, to the end the same
may be inserted in his lease.

[4.] Whereas alsoe Robert Arrundell, tanner, preferred ^{Robert}
his petition unto the said assembly, setting forth that hee ^{Arrundell.}
was possessed of a parcell of land, parte of the rampire ^{Rampart.}
without Saint Nicholas gate, leading to Newgate, which ^{St.}
hee holdeth from this citty, and that parte thereof was ^{Nicholas'}
deteyned from him by severall persons whoe pretend ^{gate.}
tytle thereunto, and forasmuch as hee intendeth to seale a
lease of ejectment and prosecute a suite at lawe against
those that deteyned the same; the petitioner therefore
humbly prayed the said assembly to grant him an order
for haveing recourse to such records as might make for
the cittyes tytle to the premisses, and for prossecuteing ^{City title.}
any suite or suites in the cittys name for recovery of
the same at his owne charges: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that
the petitioner be and is heerby admitted to commence or
prosecute such suite or suites as in the petition is desired
in the name of this citty, the same to be done at the
charges of the petitioner, provided that the petitioner
give such security as the Lord Maior and Mr. Recorder
shall approve of to save the citty harmeless from all
costs and damages as may be recovered against them

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Clerk of
Tholsel.
City
records.

concerneing the premisses, and it is further ordered that the clerke of the Tholsell doe permitt the petitioner to have recourse to such records of this citty as hee shall have occasion for to make out his tytle to the premisses. Roll xiv.
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William
North.

Castle
street.

Bear and
ragged
staff.

Rawlins.
St.
Werburgh's
Church.

Ryan.

Church-
yard.
Wolfe.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that William North, girdler, shall have a lease for terme of ninty nine yeares of a parecell of ground in the south side of Castle streete, formerly demised by this citty unto Richard Edwards, taylor, and on the fore part whereof the said William North is now building, and was lately called the signe of the beare and ragged staffe, conteyneing in breadth towards the kings pavement from the house now in the possession of Elizabeth Lambert, alias Rawlins, in the east, to St. Warburroughs church lane in the west, six yards and fower inches, and from the streete northwards to the orchard, formerly called Ryans land, southwards, thirty and three yards in length, and from St. Warburroughs church yard wall westwards to a place formerly called Mr. Wolfes pales eastwards, seaven yards in breadth; the said lease to commence from Easter next, the petitioner paying to the treasurer of this citty, for the use of this citty, as a fine, the sume of fifty pounds, sterling, and the yearely rent of eight pounds, sterling, at Michaelmas and Easter, togeather with a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, to the Lord Maior of the said citty, for the time being, at Christmas yearely, at the election and choice of the said Lord Maior, the said rent to be paid over and above all taxes and charges whatsoever, the petitioner surrendring his former intrest in the premisses to this citty, and that such further clauses and provisoes be incerted in the lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinck fitt.

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1668 [9]. February 1.

Nathaniel
Fowkes.

Whereas Nathaniel Fowkes, alderman, preferred a m. 103.

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petition to the said assembly, therein setting forth that in Easter assembly, 1666, he obteyned a grannt of a lease of the ferries over the river Analiffy for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence from and after letters pattents should be passed of the same to this citty under the yearely rent of tenn pounds, sterling; and forasmuch as the petitioner had at his greate costs and charges obteyned letters pattents of the same to this honorable citty, he therefore humbly prayed the said assembly to confirme unto him his said former grannt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner have a lease of the premisses for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, under such yearely rent and covenants as in the said grannt is conteyned, his rent to commence from Easter next, and that his lease be sealed the next post assembly.

1668-9.

Ferries
Liffey.

Letters
patent.

1668[9.] March 8. Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certeyne of the comons petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth that for the want of an hospitall, wherein the poore and aged, as well men as women, and the fatherless and motherless children that have not freinds nor estates to live uppon, are unprovided for in this citty, by which meanes the said citty is much annoyed with beggars, which tends to the discreditt and dishonour of the same, and if such a course were laid downe for erecting an hospitall, with mainetenance thereunto belonging, for such as this citty is bound to provide for, there might be an easy way laid open to banish strange beggars that have no tittle nor right to be maintained here, both now promiscuously goeing about a begging; and forasmuch as many persons charitably disposed would contribute to the erecting and founding an hospitall for such uses if good orders were sett downe for the same, the petitioners humbly desired that a committee might be nominated by this present assembly to consider of a fitt place for the said hospitall, and to

Hospital.

Poor.

Children.

Beggars.

Erection.
Founda-
tion.

Committee.

Site.

1668-9. Treasurer. Money.	appoint a treasurer for the receiveing of such sumes of money as shall be brought in from time to time, and to proceed in that good worke forthwith, and the rather for that the sume of two hundred pounds, sterling, is already deposited in the hands of Alderman Marke Quine by a person who desires to have that worke goe on, and severall others have already promised to contribute thereunto when the carrying on of that worke shall be begunne and well settled; and forasmuch as the lord deputy and councell had by their letters, beareing date the eighth day of February last, signified amongst other things their sense of the greate number of beggars in this citty, and desired that a course might be taken for the cleareing of this citty from strange beggars, and provision be made for those that ought to be mainetained here, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that a committee might be by this assembly impowered to consider of the premises, and act therein according to the necessity and expedience of the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior, Sherrifes, all the aldermen and forty eight of the commons, such as the commons shall name, be appointed a committee for the ends aforesaid, and that they or any seaven of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be allways two, be and are hereby impowred to appoint a convenient place for the erecting of the said hospitall, and to name one or more of themselves to receive the moneys or other guifts by waye of subscription or otherwise, and to appoint overseers of the said worke, and to doe all other matters tending to the speedy and effectuall carrying on of the said good worke, as also to report to the lord deputy and councell what they conceive fitting to compass the ends propounded by their honours, and to report their actings to the next assembly; and that the said committee may consider of a way how orphans goods or chattles, and lands or tenements, in the county of this citty may be	Roll xiv. m. 103.
Contributions. Mark Quine.		
Promises.		
Lord deputy and council.		
Appoint- ment of site.		m. 103 b.
Report		
Orphans.		

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secured as it is in the citty of London, and to report the same as aforesaid; and that the same committee is to take advice of sir William Davys, knight, recorder of this citty, in the manadgeing of the said affaire. The names of the commons are: Captain John Eastwood, Mr. Robert Arrundell, Mr. John Price, Mr. Peter Ward, Mr. George Hulett, Mr. Thomas Kirkeham, Mr. William Brookes, Mr. Philip Castleton, Mr. Joseph Dobson, Mr. Mathew French, Mr. Giles Mee, Mr. John Sheppard, Mr. Daniell Birne, Mr. Minard Christian, Mr. Robert Hughes, Mr. James Yates, Mr. Samuel Saltonstall, Mr. Edward Twelves, Mr. Luke Lowther, Mr. John Smith, Mr. George Surdevile, Mr. Robert Meade, Mr. William North, Mr. Robert Neale, Mr. William Thorrowgood, Mr. John Braddock, Mr. Rice Phillips, Mr. John Sergeant, Mr. John Dutton, Mr. George Stoughton, Mr. Nathaniell Phillpott, Mr. Barnard Vizer, Henry Reynolds, Henry Warren, Henry Orson, Symon Carrick, Miles Marshall, Walter Mottly, Captain James Browne, James Boy, William Smith, tanner, Thomas Cooke, glover, Abell Ram, John Benson, Robert Westbury, Thomas Graves, Richard Hoare, and Jonathan Butterson.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certeyne of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth that the committee appoynted by act of assembly for manadgement of the affaire of the pipewater in this citty, have, from time to time, since they were impowered therein, used theire best endeavour for the advanceing of the said worke, in causinge a large new cisterne to be made at St. James Gate, and large leaden pipes to be laid from thence downe the streete towards the citty so farr as the rent or proceeds of the said pipe water would extend, and the said worke is much retarded for want of mony to goe on with the same; and the said committee haveing considered that laying of leaden pipes of so large a diameter as is proposed through this citty will be chargeable, as the proceeds of the said pipewater for many years to

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London.

Sir
William
Davys.

Commons.

Committee.

City pipe-
water.

Cistern.
St. James'
Gate.

Leaden
pipes.
Diameter.

1668-9. come will not expedite the said worke, and therefore Roll xiv.
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 Pipes of have thought fitt that pipes of elme trees, which will last
 elm trees.
 Purchase. for many yeares in the ground, may be bought in
 England. England and speedily brought over, and this next sumer
 laid thorow this citty, which will mightily forward the
 Rent. worke and advance the said rent for the benefitt and
 advantage of the citty; the petitioners therefore humbly
 prayed that such sume of mony as the said assembly
 Loan. should thinke fitt might be speedily taken up upon the
 Security. citty security for the carrying on of the said worke with
 all possible expedition: it is therefore ordered and agreed
 uppon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
 present committee of the water doe take effectuall speedy
 care for the raising of such sume or sumes of mony, not
 exceeding the sume of three hundred pounds, for the
 Importa- buying and bringing over wooden pipes out of England,
 tion from or that such other way be used for the ends in the
 England. petition mentioned as the committee shall thinke fitt,
 and that the said committee doe take effectuall care in
 the carrying on the said worke as they shall see
 expedient; and it is further ordered that the person who
 Advance of shall advance the mony for the carrying on the said
 money. worke shall have the same secured unto him by instru-
 City ment in writeing under the citty seale, the said mony to
 seal. be received and paid from time to time by order of the
 said committee, and it is further ordered, by the authority
 aforesaid, that the persons formerly nominated by act of
 assembly to be of the said committee, be and are hereby
 ordered and established to continue a committee for the
 said affaire, and to act and doe therein as formerly, untill
 the further pleasure of the assembly, any former act to
 the contrary notwithstanding.

[3.] Whereas also certeyne of the commons petitioned
 unto the said assembly, setting forth that notwithstand-
 ing the acts of assembly of this citty, prohibiting more
 then thirty hackney coaches to ply in and about this
 Hackney Hackney coaches.
 coaches. Streets.
 Streets. citty and suburbs, the streetes of this citty are dayly

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stopt by many more coaches than those which are ^{1668-9.}
lycensed pursuant to the said act, to the greate annoy-
ance of the inhabitants, the petitioners therefore humbly
prayed that some course might be laid downe in this
assembly for the suppressing of the said persons who
keepe hackney coaches in the streetes and are not
lycensed: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by ^{Licences.}
the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Mayor
and Sherriffes of this citty, takeing advice of Mr.
Recorder, do forthwith take and lay downe such courses
and rules for the redresse of the said nuisance above
complained of as they shall judge necessary and fitting.

m. 104 b.

1669. Second Friday after Easter.¹ Orders:—[1.] ^{1669.}
Lewis Desmynieres, alderman, is chosen and elected
Maior of the citty of Dublin for the next ensueing yeare. ^{Mayor.}

[2.] Mr. William Story and Mr. Thomas Cooke are
chosen and elected Sheriffs of the said city for the said yeare. ^{Sheriffs.}

m. 105.

[3.] Whereas sir William Davys, knight, recorder of <sup>Sir William
Davys,
recorder.
Petition.</sup>
the said citty of Dublin, petitioned unto the said
assembly, shewing that in regard that hee had for severall
months past laboured under a severe distemper, for the
cure of which, by Gods blessing, hee was advised by his
physicians to repaire into England, to the baths and <sup>Physicians.
Waters.</sup>
waters there, and therefore humbly prayed that hee
might have the leave and lycence of the said assembly to
repaire into England, or elsewhere, for the space of six
months, or soe much longer time as his distemper should ^{Distemper.}
necessitate his absence hence, and that his said absence
might not be any forfeiture of those offices and enter- ^{Offices.}
tainements which the said petitioner had by the said
cittys favour to him: it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
said petitioner, Sir William Davys, shall have leave and ^{Licence.}
is heerby lycenced to repaire into England, or elsewhere, ^{England.}
for the space of six months next after the day of his

¹ Easter-day, 11 April, 1669.

1669. departure out of this kingdome, and for soe much longer Roll xiv.
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 Absence. time as his said distemper shall necessitate his absence
 hence, and that his said absence shall not be any forfeiture of those offices and entertainements which the said petitioner, Sir William Davys, holdeth from this citty, as in the above petition is desired, any lawe, custome or act of assembly of this citty to the contrary notwithstanding.

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1669. May 7. Laws and orders :—[1.] Whereas certaine m 105.
 of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, setting
 Sir Robert forth. forth that sir Robert Forth, knight, by his lessee, Mathew
 Eaton. Eaton, had brought an action de ejectione firme against
 Hoare. Thomas Hoare, as casuall ejector, in his majesties courte
 of cheife place, for the tryall of the tytle of fifty-three
 messuadges, fifty three backsides, fifty three gardens and
 Parish of St. five acres of land, with the appurtenances, in the parish
 Andrew. of St. Andrews, which belongeth to this citty, and therefore
 prayed that some course might be laid downe in the
 said assembly for the impowering some attorney or
 attorneys to defend the cittyes tytle to the premisses :
 it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
 of the said assembly, that an instrument in writeing
 Clerk of under the citty seale be forthwith drawen by the clarke
 Tholsel. of the Tholsell, to impower Mr. Phillip Harris and Mr.
 Attorneys. Phillip Croft, attorneys of his majesties courte of cheife
 place, to appeare for the citty and defend the cittyes
 tytle in the premises above mentioned, and that the
 same be forthwith sealed accordingly.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons peti- m. 106
 tioned unto the said assembly, shewing that they were
 given to understand that Richard Meridith,¹ late bishop
 of Loughlin and Fernes, did, by his last will and testament,
 bequeath the sune of one hundred pounds, sterling,

Bishop
 Richard
 Meridith.
 Loughlin
 and Fernes.

¹ Richard Meridith, dean of St. Patrick's, Dublin, bishop of Leighlin and Ferns, 1539—1597.

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to pious and charitable uses, to be disposed of by the ^{1669.} Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of the citty of ^{Bequest.} Dublin as they should think fitt, and the said one hundred pounds being not paid for the ends aforesaid, the said petitioners therefore humbly prayed the said assembly that the executors or administrators of the said bishop might be sued for the said one hundred pounds, that upon receiving thereof it may be applied to such pious uses as by the said lord bishopps will is intended: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Richard Lord, the ^{Richard Lord.} citty agent, be and is hereby impowered to commence suite in any courte of lawe or equity against the executors or administrators of the said lord bishopp, or other person or persons concerned in the estate left by the said lord bishopp, as alsoe to appoint attorney or attorneys, proctor or proctors, in any court, as aforesaid, to sue for the said sume and interest for the same, for the uses as by the said lord bishopps will is expressed, and this power to be given under the citty seale, by an instrument for that purpose to be drawn by Mr. Recorder or his deputy.

[3.] Forasmuch as John Lovett, late keeper of his ^{Lovett.} majesties goale of Newgate, hath surrendred up his said ^{Gaol of Newgate.} office unto the citty, it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that on the petition of William Cole, the said office or place of keeper of his majesties ^{Cole.} goale of Newgate be and is hereby granted unto the said petitioner, William Cole, to have and enjoy the said place dureing the pleasure of this citty, and to receive and enjoy the usuall and lawfull fees, perquisites ^{Fees.} and profitts as Mr. John Lovett and other goalers of Newgate formerly received, the petitioner first givinge such security to save the citty harmelesse from ^{Security.} all escapes, etc., as the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall ^{Escapes.} approve of.

1669. 1669. June 14. Laws and orders:—[1.] Whereas Roll xiv.
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Briscoe, Edward Briscoe and Patrick Henderkin petitioned unto
Henderkin, the said assembly, praying to be allowed the sune of
one hundred, forty seaven pounds, fowerteene shillings
and eleaven pence, sterling, for walleing of St. Stephens
Wall, Greene, that is to say, eighty eight pounds, tenn shillings
St. Stephen's
Green, to the petitioner, Henderkin, and fifty niue pounds, fower
shillings, eleaven pence unto the said petitioner, Briscoe,
Defects, and forasmuch as there are severall defects observed in
Building the building of the said wall: it is therefore ordered
and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the
Lord Maior and Sherriffes, for the time being, calleing
such to their assistance as his lordshipp shall think fitt,
on the behalfe of the eitty, togeather with two such
other persons as the petitioners shall nominate on their
behalfes, doe view the workemanshipp of the said walle,
View, and that if the said walle shall be found defective, and
Workman- not made according to contract, that then the petitioners
ship, doe reparaire the same in all the defects thereof at their
Repairs. owne charge, upon the reparation whereof the citty seale
Payment, shall be given the petitioners to satisfy them the severall
sumes of money in the petition mentioned, as their
Interest. security, with interest at the rate of tenn pounds per
centum from that time that the walle shalbe repaired
untill the same shall be paid the said petitioners; the
instrument to be drawen and perfected for the secureing
the said money to be such as the cittys counceall shall
advise.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons
petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that in
Michaelmas assembly, 1668, there was an aet for im-
powring Richard Lord, the citty agent, to sue the severall
and respective treasurers of this citty whoe had not
City rendred and passed their accounts to the auditors of this
treasurers, Auditors, citty, and forasmuch as it [is] thought convenient, by the
Six clerks. advice of counceall, that one of the six clarkes or attorneys
Chancery. of his majesties high court of chancery, or one or more of

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the attorneys of his majesties court of exchequer, ought ^{1669.} to be authorized under the common seale of this citty ^{Exchequer.} for the prosecuteing such suite or suites against the said severall treasurers, the said petitioners therefore humbly prayed that one or more attorney or attorneys of his majesties high court of chancery, or his majesties court of exchequer, might be impowred under the citty seale to commence and prosecute such suite or suites, eyther in ^{Suits.} law, or equity, as by the citty councell should be advised, ^{City} for the compelling the severall treasurers of the citty to ^{counsel.} passe their accounts to the said auditors: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said ^{Order.} assembly, that Leonard Hatfeild, esquire, one of the ^{Hatfeild.} attorneys of his majesties high court of chancery, and Mr. Charles Forster, one of the attorneys of his majesties ^{Forster.} court of exchequer, be impowred and authorized under the citty seale to commence and prosecute such action or actions as in the said petition is set forth, in the name of ^{Actions.} the citty, the same to be done at the citty charge by the advice of the cittys councell, and that the cittys agent doe sollicite the same accordingly, and pursue such directions as councell shall give therein from time to time; and it is further ordered that upon occasion the Lord Maior and Sherriffes, for the time being, shall nominate such other attorney or attorneys in eyther or each of the said courts to act and doe in and about the premisses as shall be necessary to be done; and that the said Lord Maior be and is heerby impowred to calle a post assembly to seale such further authority as may be ^{Post} advised to be given therein with the common seale of this ^{assembly.} citty to such other attorney or attorneys as aforesaid. ^{Common seal.}

1669. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to the Lord Maior, ^{Ogden.} preferred his petition unto the said assembly, setting ^{Petition.} forth the greate charge his said master had beene at in

1669. Mayoralty.	the supporting the office of Mayoralty of the said citty	Roll xiv. m. 108.
	this present yeare, and in regard the greate expences his	
Lord Lieutenant.	said master was like to be at in defraying the charges	
	attendant on that office at the reception of the lord	
Augmen- tation. Salary.	leiutenant into this kingdom, and other extraordinary	
	occasions, the petitioner therefore, on behalf of his said	
	master, humbly prayed the said assembly for an augmen-	
	tation of his said masters former sallary of five hundred	
	pounds, allowed him for supporting the dignity of that	
	office: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the	
	authority of the said assembly, that the said petitioner,	
Grant.	for the use of his said master, shall have the sume of one	
	hundred and fifty pounds, sterling, paid him out of the	
	treasury of this citty as an additionall sume unto the said	
	Lord Maiors former allowance, the same to be paid to the	
	petitioner for the use aforesaid by the treasurer, on the	
	Lord Maiors warrant, and the said Lord Maiors warrant,	
	togeather with the petitioners receipt, shall be a sufficient	
	discharge to the treasurer for payment thereof.	
	[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned	
	likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that there was	
	formerly allowed by act of assembly the sume of one	
	hundred pounds, sterling, towards the levelling of St.	
St. Stephen's Green. Levelling.	Stephens greene, which said one hundred pounds being	
	already disbursed, and in regard fifty pounds more would	
	finish the said worke, the petitioners therefore prayed	
Robert Ware.	the fifty pounds fine to be paid by Mr. Robert Ware, as	
	a fine for a new lease of a house in Castle streete, might	
	be sett apart and imployed to compleate the said worke:	
	it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority	
Account.	aforesaid, that an account be forthwith brought in of the	
	hundred pounds, sterling, formerly allowed by act of	
	assembly towards the levelling of the said Greene, and	
Grant.	that the said fifty pounds fine which is to be paid by	
	Mr. Robert Ware, for his fine of the lease in the said	
	petition mentioned, be forthwith disbursed and layd	
Completion of work,	out in compleateing the said worke, provided the	

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said account of one hundred pounds be first stated or 1669.
brought in.

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons petitioned unto the said assembly, praying that William Baron and Michael Gerraldine, merchants, might be paid Baron. Gerraldine. the sume of six and thirty pounds, sterling, for six hogsheads of French wine, by them expended for the French wine. Anniver- saries. cittyes use on Saint Georges day and the nine and twentieth day of May last, the one being the day of his majesties birth and restoration, and the other the day of his majesties coronation; alsoe that John Quelch, upholder, Quelch. might be paid the sume of five and twenty pounds, three shillings and eight pence, sterling, due to him for worke done in and about the seates in Christ Church; and thereby Seats in Christ church. Peter Iredell. alsoe further praying that Peter Iredell, carpenter, might be paid the sume of ten pounds, sterling, due to him Carpenters' work. for carpenters worke in altering and amending the said seates: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the severall sumes of money above mentioned be forthwith paid to the said severall and respective persons above mentioned by the treasurer of this citty, on the Lord Maiors warrant, and that the said warrant, with the receipts of the said severall persons, shall be to the treasurer a sufficient discharge to have the same allowed on his account.

[4.] That Alderman Marke Quine, the present treasurer Quine. of this citty, shall have authority under the citty seale to sett a lease of the tythes of the parsonadge of Tithes. Rathdrume, in the county of Wicklow, with the Rathdrume, co Wick. low. appurtenances thereunto belonging, for the terme of two yeares, to commence from May day last, upon such termes as hee shall thinck fitt, with as great advance of Advance of rent. rent to the citty as hee can contract for, the said lease to be granted to him that shall give most for the same.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, upon the petition of Ridgley Hatfeild, Ridgley. Hatfeild. alderman, that the said Ridgley Hatfeild be paid the

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sume of two hundred, sixty seaven pounds, sixteene shillings and eleaven pence, sterling, due to him upon his third and last account as treasurer of this citty, out of the first fines and casualties that shall come into the cittyes hands after Michaelmas day next, and that the Lord Maior of the said citty, for the time being, doe give his warrant to the treasurer, for the time being, for payment of the same to the said Alderman Ridgley Hatfeild accordingly, which shall be a sufficient warrant to the treasurer to have the same allowed him on his account; and it is further ordered that the said Alderman Hatfeild doe enter into bond to be accomptable unto the citty for what shall be disprooved in the petitioners former accounts, and found to be received by the petitioner or due to the citty from him as treasurer.

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Robert
Ware.

Fagan.

Hancock.

Castle
street.St.
Werburgh's
church.
Wandering
jew.St. Mary's
Abbey.

[6.] That Robert Ware, esquire, on surrender of his former leases of the premisses heerafter mentioned, the one made to Christopher Fagan, alderman, deceased, and the other to Mathew Hancock, alderman, deceased, shall have a lease for terme of ninety nine yeares, to commence from Easter last, of one messuadage, with the appurtenances, situatt in the sowth side of Castle streete, parcell of St. Mary Abbey tenures, bounding from the howse now in the possession of Richard Kerny, being parcell of the possessions of St. Warburroughs church, on the east; the howse commonly called the signe of the wandering jew, now in the possession of Cassandra Fyan, widdow, and formerly in the tenure of Richard Harrold, clerke, being alsoe parte of St. Mary Abbey land, on the west; the pavement of Castle streete on the north, and St. Warburroughs church garden on the sowth, conteyning in breadth in the fore streete sixteene feete and a halfe, and in length fifty two feete, and in breadth in the back parte seaventeene feete and a halfe; the petitioner presently paying as a fine to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, the sume of fifty pounds, sterling, and the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, over and

above all taxes and charges whatsoever, provided there be 1669.
 excepted and reserved out of the said lease soe much of
 the ground or back side as is now in the possession of
 the said Cassandra Fyan, and that the petitioner doe <sup>Cassandra
Fyan.</sup>
 alsoe pay unto the Lord Maior of the said citty, for
 the time being, at Christmas yearely, one couple of fatt
 capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at the
 election of the said Lord Maior, and that such further
 clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall
 think fitt.

[7.] Whereas alsoe Nathaniel Fowkes, alderman, <sup>Nathaniel
Fowkes.</sup>
 petitioned likewise to the said assembly, shewing that
 the citty had lately granted him a lease of the ferryes ^{Ferries.}
 over the river Annaliffy, notwithstanding which the ^{Liffey.}
 petitioners boats are dayly stopt and interrupted by Mr.
 Mabbott and collonel Carey Dillon and others, and the <sup>Mabbot.
Dillon.</sup>
 petitioner being informed by councill that actions to be
 commenced against those persons must be brought in the
 cittyes name, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed that
 hee might be impowred by this assembly to commence
 such suite or suites in the cittyes name as shall be ^{Suits.}
 requisite for the defending the cittyes tytle to the
 premisses: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
 the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner shall have
 authority, under the citty seale, to commence, in the
 cittyes name, such suite or suites as above desired, the
 same to be done at the charge of the petitioner, provided
 that the petitioner doe give bond to save the citty ^{Indemnity.}
 harmesse from all costs and damages as shall happen to
 be recovered against the citty in the premisses.

[8.] Whereas alsoe Robert Mills petitioned unto the
 said assembly, shewing that by an act¹ of assembly of
 the said citty, held the seaventeenth day of August,
 1649, there was allowed unto the petitioner and Peter <sup>Peter
Vandhoven.</sup>
 Vandhoven, then Sherriffes of this citty, the sume of tenn
 pounds, sterling, for rideing the franchises in that yeare, <sup>Riding
franchises.</sup>

¹ See vol. iii., page 488.

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and in regard the petitioner or the said Peter Vandhoven, Roll xiv
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in his life time, had not received any satisfactions for the
said sune, the petitioner therefore humbly prayed this
assembly to order him satisfaction for the same: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that the clerke of the Tholsell doe make search
in the records of this citty and in the accounts of the
severall treasurers of this citty, and certefy whether the
said tenn pounds, above mentioned, were allowed, as is
above alleadged, and whether the same have not beene
paid; and if it shall appeare to the Lord Maior by such
certificat that the said tenn pounds was granted and not
paid, that then the Lord Maior doe give warrant to the
treasurer for payment thereof.

Clerk of
Tholsel.
Accounts.

Kegan,
drum-
major.

Salary.

[9.] Whereas alsoe Darby Kegan petitioned unto the
said assembly, shewing that there being due to him, as
drum major of this citty, the sune of eight pounds, two
shillings and six pence, sterling, for one yeare and three
quarters of a yeares sallary, ending at Michaelmas last,
and the petitioner, being not paid the said sune, humbly
prayed that this assembly would order him present pay-
ment thereof: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority of the said assembly, that the said sune of
eight pounds, two shillings and sixpence, due to the
petitioner, as drum major to this citty, be forthwith paid
him by the treasurer, on the Lord Maiors warrant, and m. 107.
that the Lord Maiors warrant, togeather with the
petitioners receipt, shalbe a sufficient discharge to the
treasurer to have the same allowed on his account.

Anne
Phillipps.

Poor
widows.

[10.] That Anne Phillipps, widdow, be and is heerby
admitted one of the six poore widdowes, and to have the
allowance granted by mistress St. Laurence, in the place
and stead of Alson Ball, widdow, deceased.

Franchise

Admissions to franchise.

XV.—ASSEMBLY ROLL, 1669—1687.¹

1669. Third Friday after 29 September.

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Lord Mayor: Lewis Desmynieres, esquire; Sheriffs: William Story and Richard Ward.

Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] John Forrest, alderman, is elected and chosen treasurer of the said citty for the next ensueing yeare.

Treasurer.

[2.] Mr. William Gressingham and Mr. John Linacre are chosen masters of the citty workes for the said yeare.

Masters of
works.

[3.] The Lord Maior, the Sherriffes, all the aldermen, Mr. John Smith, Mr. George Stoughton, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. John Dutton and Mr. John Partington, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Maior and one of the Sherriffes to be alwaies two, are chosen auditors of the citty accounts for the said yeare.

Auditors.

[4.] Whereas Amos Ogden, servant to the right honourable the Lord Maior of this citty, petitioned unto the said assembly, praying that such allowance might be given his lordshipp for the supportation of the office of Mayoralty of the said citty as was suitable to the dignity and honour of the citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioner doe receive the allowance of five hundred pounds for this yeare, to be paid quarterly by the treasurer of the citty, for the time being, and that the Lord Maiors acquittance be a sufficient discharge for the same, and that the said five hundred pounds be for the use of the petitioners said master.

Ogden.

Mayoralty.

Allowance.

[5] Whereas sir Thomas Worsopp, knight, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying a lease of the three-penny customes of this port of Dublin, at such rent as the said assembly should think fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, for reasons set forth in the said petition, that the

Sir
Thomas
Worsopp.Three-
penny
customs.¹ The membranes of this roll do not stand in chronological sequence.

1669.

Sir
William
Davys.

Rent.

Claret.

Arrear.

Daniel
Hutchin-
son.Rosemary
lane.

Bellew.

Sir John
Tirrell.

petitioner procuring a surrender of a lease of one third parte of the said customes, formerly granted to sir William Davys, knight, recorder of the said citty, shall have a lease of all the said three-penny customes for terme of one and twenty yeares, to commence from Michaelmas last, the petitioner paying unto the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, the sune of fifty pounds per annum, and a teirce of clarett wine to the Lord Maior, for the time being, at Easter yearely, or tenne pounds, sterling, in default thereof; the said rent to be paid over and above all taxes, subsidies, and other charges whatsoever, and that such clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall think fitt, provided that the two third parts of the customes aforesaid in arreare unto the citty for theise severall yeares past be first accompted for, and the account thereof stated by the auditors of the citty.

[6.] It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that Daniell Hutchinson, alderman, shall have a lease for the terme of ninety nine yeares of a smalle shead scittuatt in Rosemary lane, conteyneing, in breadth from the howse formerly belonging to James Bellew, alderman, and now belonging to the said petitioner, in the east, westward into Rosemary lane, nine feete, and in length, from the said lane in the sowth to the north parte of the walle formerly belonging to sir John Tirrell, eight and twenty feete and a halfe, at the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, payable at Easter and Michaelmas, yearely; and that the petitioners improovements thereon be made of brick, and that there be paid a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof to the Lord Maior, for the time being, every Christmas yearely, over and above all taxes whatsoever, and that such clauses and covenants be incerted therein as the recorder shall think fitt.

[7.] It is also ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, on petition of certaine of the commons, that

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m. 4.

m. 4 b.

his excellency, John, lord Robartes,¹ lord lieutenant of Ireland, be and is hereby admitted to the freedome of this citty, and that the same be presented his excellency under the citty seale, in such manner as the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall think fitt, the charge thereof to be paid out of the treasury of the citty, upon the Lord Maiors warrant to the treasurer.

1669.
Lord lieutenant.
Presentation.
Freedom of city.

[8.] Whereas Richard Lord, the citty agent, petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, praying an augmentation of his former sallary of twenty pounds, sterling, per annum, allowed unto the said petitioner for his paines in solliciting the affaires of this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be and is heerby allowed the sume of tenn pounds, sterling, per annum, to be added to his former allowance of twenty pounds per annum, the same to be paid him by the treasurer of the citty on the Lord Maiors warrant for this yeare, determyneing at Michaelmas next, and to be paid as the twenty pounds is ordered to be paid.

Richard Lord.

Salary.

Allowance.

[9.] That Nathaniell Philpott, haberdasher, on surrender of his former lease, shall have a new lease of a parcell of ground neere St. Patrick's well, formerly called Tottenham court, for the terme of ninty nine yeares, to commence at Michaelmas last, at the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty, and a couple of fatt capons at Christmas yearely, and that such clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall think fitt.

St. Patrick's well.
Tottenham court.

[10.] Whereas alsoe Mynard Christian, merchant, petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth that hee is tennant to this citty by lease of a parcell of ground, parte of the strand, Lazy Hill, and that one Mr. Hawkins had built upon parte of the premisses, whoe pretendeth a tytle thereunto from the Colledge, and therefore prayed the

Mynard Christian

Lazy Hill.
Hawkins.

¹ John Robartes, baron of Truro, appointed lord lieutenant of Ireland,

3 May, 1669, landed at Howth on 18 of the following September.

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said assembly to consider of a way for defending and makeing good of the citty's tytle to the premisses: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be and is heerby admitted to commence such action or actions as hee shall be advised, for the recovery of the same premisses in the citty's name, and that what charge the petitioner shall be at in the prosecuting or defending the said suite or suites, the same to be allowed the petitioner out of his rent payable unto the citty; and that the citty agent shall have authority under the citty seale in order to prosecute the same; and that hee be ayding and assisting the petitioner in such prossecution, the same to be done by the advice of Mr. Reeorder, from time to time.

Elliston,
weaver.Crokers
lane.

Old ditch.

[11] That Christopher Elliston, weaver, shall have a lease for terme of sixty one yeares of a parell of waste ground, parcell of Crokers lane, adjacent to the holdings of the said petitioner, Christopher Ellistons, garden, eastward along the garden end, three and twenty yards and three quarters of a yard, and in breadth, from the said garden end in the sowth, northward to the old ditch, cleaven yards and one foote, at the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to be paid halfe yearely to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty, and a couple of fatt capons, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, to the Lord Maior of the said citty, for the time being, and that such clauses be ineerted in the said lease as Mr. Reeorder shall think fitt.

Ormesby.

Attorney.
Tholsel
court.

[12.] That Peter Ormesby, gentleman, be and is heerby admitted one of the attorneys of the Tholsell courte, Dublin, provided hee be sworne free before hee take the oath of an attorney, any act, law, or ordinance of the said citty to the contrary notwithstanding.

[13.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, on the petition of Thomas Hayo, John Evans, Patrick Jones, Francis Smith, Thomas Tallott, Peter la Fleur, Thomas Bullamor, Richard Holt, John

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m. 4 b.

Tollitt and George Tollitt, the citty musicians, for reasons
 in their petition set forth, that the said petitioners
 allowance or sallary shall be the sume of forty shillings
 yearely le man, and that such badges be provided for
 them instead of livery cloakes as the Lord Maior and
 table of aldermen shall think fitt, not exceeding the
 sume of thirty pounds, and that the treasurer of the
 citty, for the time being, doe pay the said sume of thirty
 pounds to such persons as the Lord Maior shall direct;
 and the Lord Maiors warrant and acquittance to be a
 discharge for the same. And that the said badges soe
 made be disposed of to the said petitioners, whoe are to
 weare the same for soe long time as the citty shall thinck
 fitt. And that the petitioners doe find security for the
 redelivery of the same to the citty, and that the said
 musicians doe goe in and through the citty and suburbs
 with the citty waits every usuall night, from the fifth of
 October to the fifth day of February, yearely.

1669.
Citty
musicians.

Salaries.

Badges.

Livery
cloaks

Security.

Citty.

Waits,
Nights.William
Harvy.Mills.
Christ
church
meadow.Santry,
chief
justice.

m. 1.

[14.] Whereas alsoe William Harvy petitioned unto
 the said assembly, praying an order of this assembly for
 the remitting unto him all arreares of rent which are now
 due unto the citty upon a parcell of ground betweene
 the Read mills and Christ church meadow, which hee
 holdeth by lease from the said citty, and improoved con-
 siderably thereon, the premisses being recovered from
 the said petitioner by the right honourable the lord cheife
 justice Santry:¹ it is therefore ordered and agreed upon,
 by the authority aforesaid, that the petitioner be re-
 mitted the arreares of rent due to the citty out of the
 premisses, and which shall accrew due unto the citty soe
 long as the said lord of Santry shall enjoy the said pre-
 misses, and untill hee be lawfully evicted from the same.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise

m. 3.

1669. October 25. Laws and orders:—

[1.] Whereas Edward Briscoe and Patrick Henderkin

Briscoe.
Henderkin.¹ See p. 410,

1669. petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that, by act Roll xv.
of assembly of the fowerteenth of June last. it was m. 3.
ordered that the said petitioners should repaire the defects
St. Stephens's Green. in the walle about St. Stephens Greene, lately built by
the said petitioners for the cittyes use, and that upon
the reparation thereof the said petitioners should be
satisfied the sume of one hundred, forty seaven pounds,
fowerteene shillings, eleaven pence, due to them for
Wall. building the said walle, and that the citty seale should
be given unto the petitioners as their security untill the
said sume should be paid, with interest from the time
Repairs. aforesaid, and did further set forth that they had not
only repaired the said walle, but built greate parte thereof
higher then by contract they conceive they were bound
Building. Cost. to doe, which cost the said petitioners nine pounds,
sterling, and that the said petitioners had alsoe expended
Chancery in prosecuting the cause in chancery for receiving the
said money the sume of twenty two pounds, sterling,
which in all maketh the sume of one hundred, seaventy
eight pounds, fowerteene shillings and eleaven pence,
besides the interest of the said money due three yeares
and three quarters, which amounts to above fifty pounds,
sterling; and therefore humbly prayed to be allowed
not only the said sume of one hundred, seaventy eight
pounds, fowerteene shillings and eleaven pence, but alsoe
some parte of the interest aforesaid, and that the
said money may be secured untill the same be paid the
said petitioners: it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the
Payment. petitioners be and are heerby ordered to be satisfied the
sume of nine pounds, sterling, out of the treasury of the
citty, over and above the same sume which was formerly
allowed the petitioners, and that the same be in full
City seal. satisfaction of the money due to them for building the
Security. said walle, and that the citty seale be given the
petitioners for security of the same, with intrest at tenn
pounds per annum untill the same be paid.

Roll xv.
n. 3 b.

[2.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned like-^{1669.}
wise unto the said assembly, setting forth that they
were given to understand that on a late addresse of the
right honourable the Lord Maior of this citty to his
excellency the lord Roberts, lord lieutenant generall and
generall governor of the kingdome, his lordshipp was
pleased to acquaint the Lord Maior that if this citty
would not give fire and candlelight to the souldiers of
this citty without a warrant from his excellency, that
the citty should not have the benefitt of his majesties
gracious pattent¹ of five hundred pounds per annum to
this citty, and that they were in noe waies sensible of
any fayler of duty to his excellency whereby to provoke
his lordshipp to that expression, but had [been] and
alwayes will be willing to pay all humble duty to his
lordshipp, particularly in the advanceing of money for the
fire and candlelight, provided his lordshipp would give
that authority for soe doing as his lordships predecessors
had done; and therefore the said petitioner
humbly prayed that Mr. Recorder might be desired to
drawe up a petition to his excellency, setting forth
therein their humble compliance to his excellencies com-
mands, soe farr as in them lyeth, their feare of not being
fully enabled to raise money for the said fire and candle-
light, without a warrant from his lordshipp, and that the
citty is in truth soe very poore that they are not able to
pay their debts, which were contracted by the expending
of a very greate quantity of moneys in order to the
service of his late majestie when [in] his greatest miseries,
as alsoe to his now sacred majestie, and in compensation
whereof, as the petitioners humbly conceive, the said five
hundred pounds per annum was granted to this citty, and
therefore praying that his lordshipp will entertaine a
good opinion of this citty, notwithstanding those expres-
sions of his lordships towards them: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid,

Lord
Mayor.
Address.
Roberts,
lord
lieutenant.

Soldiers.

Royal
grant.

Expression.

Fire.
Candle-
light.

Petition.

Viceregal
warrant.

Expendi-
ture by
citty.

Charles I.

Charles II.

¹ See vol. i., p. 48.

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that Mr. Recorder doe forthwith drawe up a petition to his excellency, as above is desired. Roll xv.
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1669. November 2. Law and order:—

Petition
to lord
lieutenant.

Rebellion.

Contri-
butions
of citizens.

Army.

Charles I.

Restoration
of Charles
II.

It is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, pursuant to an act of assembly, beareing date the fifteenth of November last, that the petition heerafter following, with the letter heerunder written to be annexed, be preferred to his excellency the lord lieutenant of Ireland, which petition, together with the said letter, followeth in these words: To his excellencie, John, lord Roberts, lord lieutenant generall and generall governor of Ireland, the humble petition of the Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of his majesties citty of Dublin sheweth that the petitioners, as at all times, soe particularly in the begining and dureing the continuance of the late rebellion in this kingdome, have, according to their bounden duty by the lawes of God and nature, beene truly loyall and faithfull not only to his late majestie, king Charles the first of ever blessed memory, but alsoe to his now majestie, and in testimony thereof did contribute largely, farre beyond their estates and abillities, towards the releife of his late majesties army heere, and did likewise engage themselves, their estates and fortunes for the raiseing of greate sumes of money towards the transportation of that parte of the said armye, which was then sent hence into England to his said late majestie by his royall commands, of all which his said late majestie was soe abundantly sensible, as by his royall letters,¹ dated at Oxford in the yeare 1643, and directed to the petitioners, hee was gratically pleased to take notice, as by the said letters, a copy whereof is heerunto annexed, doth more at large appeare, that the petitioners were most early in their endeavours in order to his now majesties happy restauration. That in consideration thereof, and of the

¹ See p. 482.

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3 b.

many other acceptable services of this citty to the ^{1669.}
 crowne of England, as alsoe of the extreame poverty of ^{Poverty.}
 the petitioners, to which they are reduced for their
 constant loyalty, and under which they laboured for ^{Loyalty.}
 my yeares, as in truth they still doe, his majestie, as a
 signall marke of his royall favour to this citty, and to
 deliver it over to posterity for his majesties honour and
 the cittyzens advantage in all future ages, was gratically
 pleased, by his letters pattents, under his greate seale, in ^{Letters}
 which theise severall reasons inducing him thereunto ^{patent.}
 are particularly mentioned, to grant to the petitioners ^{Annual}
 and their successors, for ever, the sume of five hundred ^{grant.}
 pounds, sterling, per annum, to be yssueing out of both
 his majesties certaine and casuall revenue of this king-
 dome, which his royall bownty the petitioners will ever
 most humbly acknowledge and pay the tribute of their ^{Acknow-}
 most humble thanks; further sheweth that as the ^{ledgment}
 petitioners have not failed in all humble duty to all
 those whoe successively had the honour to be your
 excellencies predecessors in the government of this
 kingdome, soe they humbly conceive they have not
 beene wanting in their like humble duty to your
 excellency, and doe professe themselves still ready and
 willing, with all humble dutie, to continue the same.
 But so it is, may it please your excellencie, on a late
 humble addresse of the Lord Maior of this citty to your
 excellencie from your petitioners, concerneing the usuall
 manner of makeing provision to be made by this citty ^{Provision.}
 for fire and candlelight for the souldiers in this citty, ^{Fire.}
 you were then pleased to lett fall some expressions ^{Candle-}
 tending to the depriveing your petitioners of the benefitt ^{light.}
 of his majesties said bounty of five hundred pounds per
 annum, and it is alleadged that your petitioners not
 provideing the said fire and candlelight for the souldiers ^{Soldiers.}
 in this citty hath beene the motive of that expression of
 your lordshipps, whereas in truth your petitioners have
 never refused to provide money in this citty for fire and

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Usage.

Service of
crown.

Charles I.

candlelight for the souldiers, but have been, and still are Roll x
m. 3 b
 ready to doe their utmost for the applotting and
 collecting of money for that purpose, if your excellency
 will be pleased, according to the constant usage of your
 excellencies predecessors in this government, to gr,
 them your order in that behalfe, which if you will be
 pleased to doe, your petitioners will make it their first
 and principall business to see the said put in execution,
 your petitioners not being able to advance the same out
 of their cittyes revenues by reason of their aforesaid
 great expences for the services of the crowne, for which
 even to this day a greate parte of the citty revenue lyes
 engaged. The premisses considered, the petitioners doe
 in the greatest humillity beseech your excellencie that
 they may not suffer under your lordshipps displeasure, it
 being a burthen too, too heavy for your petitioners to
 beare, but that they may stand upright in your
 excellencies good opinion of them, and that your excel-
 lencie will vouchsafe to beleieve that they will never
 be wanting either in the loyalty which they owe to his
 most sacred majestie, or in the duty which they acknow-
 ledge to be due to your excellencie, whoe have the high
 honour to be his majesties vicegerent in this kingdome-
 And they shall pray.

Copy of letter from Charles I., dated Oxford, 23
 February, 1643-4, to the Mayor, Recorder, Sheriffs and
 commonalty of Dublin.—See vol. i. p. 38.

1669. November 15. Law and order:—

m. 2

Lord lieu-
tenant.

Guards.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
 the said assembly, shewing that whereas his excellency
 the lord lieutenant of Ireland, by his letter, beareing
 date the ninth day of November, instant, did recomend
 to the present Lord Maior of this citty, as other the cheife
 governors of this kingdome had formerly done in the
 like cases, to take effectuall care that fire and candlelight
 should be made for the guards in this citty as had beene
 accustomed, which said letter followeth in these words;

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'To our very good Lord, the lord Maior of the citty of Dublin, for the time being :

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Letter to
Lord
Mayor.

'After our hearty commendations to your lordshipp: Whereas, by the letters you sent, as it may seeme to have bene accustomed for the cheife governor of this kingdome to have recommended to your lordships predecessors to take effectuell order that provision of fire and candlelight should be made for the guards of this citty, which provision was made accordingly, and it being necessary that the same provision be made for the future, wee heereby recommend to your lordshipp to take the like order in that particular as your predecessors have done, wherein wee doubt not of your ready compliance since the keepeing of the said guards is for the safety and advantage of this place, and soe we bid you hartily farewell.

Recommen-
dation.

Fire.
Candle-
light.

'From his majesties castle of Dublin, the ninth day of November, 1669.—Your lordships very loveing freind,
'John Robartes.'

And in regard the season of the yeere being much spent, requires more then an ordinary dispatch for the raising money to that end, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed an order of this assembly for the speedy raising of money to defray the charges of the said fire and candlelight in such manner as the said assembly should think fitt. In compliance, therefore to his excellencys said recommendation, and forasmuch as it hath bene accustomed to applott the charge in the petition mentioned on the inhabitants of this citty and suburbs in regard provision of fire and candlelight for the said guards, which are the watch, concernes the safety of all the inhabitants, it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the sume of one hundred and twenty pounds, sterling, be assessed and levyed on the inhabitants of this citty and suburbs for the ends in the petition mentioned, the same to be done by order and warrants from the Lord

Watch

Assessment.

1669	Maioir and Sherriffes, as hath beene accustomed, the said	Roll xv. m. 2 ^b
Parishes. Wards.	warrants to be directed to such persons in the respective parishes or wards of the said citty and suburbs as his lordshipp shall think fitt. And that the Lord Maioir and Sherriffes be and are heereby authorized to yssue	
Warrants.	warrants to applott the same sune accordingly, and that the said sune soe applotted, and the applottments returned to the Lord Maioir of the said citty, his lord- shipp is heereby authorized to yssue his warrants for	
Collection.	collecting thereof to such persons as his lordshipp shall thinck fitt, and as hath beene accustomed, and that the money soe collected be paid into the hands of Mr.	
William Story.	William Story, one of the Sherriffes of this citty, whoe is to yssue the same forth on the Lord Maiors warrant for the uses aforesaid. And it is further ordered that	
Turner. Guard- house. Tholsel.	the money in arreare to the coheires of William Turner, alderman, for the guardhowse by the Tholsell be satisfied and paid on the like warrant out of the said money soe to be collected, as aforesaid.	

1669. December 6. Law and order :—

m. 5.

Royal charters	Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that by the antient and royall charters of his majesties most noble progenitors, kings and queens of England granted to this citty, all freemen of this citty which are resident and inhabiting here
Offices.	ought to be freed and discharged from bearing any office in any other county then in the county of the said citty, notwithstanding which the said petitioners were given
Daniel Wybrants.	to understand that Daniell Wybrants, one of the alder- men, and a freeman of this citty, was nominated to serve
Sheriff. County of Dublin.	in the office of Sherrivalty for the county of Dublin this next ensuing yeare, which, if allowed without notice taken thereof by this citty, might be a meanes of utterly looseing the antient priviledges of this citty, and therefore the petitioners prayed that an order may be layd down in the said assembly, whereby timely appli-

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cation might be made by this citty to his excellency the 1669.
lord lieutenant, to the end the said antient priviledges Ancient
priviledges.
granted to this citty might be maintained, and the said
charters in that behalfe be allowed, soe that the cittizens
of this citty may not for the future be troubled therein.
It is therefore ordered and agrced upon, by the authority
of the said assembly, that a petition be forthwith drawne Petition.
and preferred in the name of the Lord Maior, Sherriffes,
commons and cittizens of this citty to his excellency the
lord lieutenant, setting forth the matter above men-
tioned, and praying releife therein, and an allowance of
this cittyes charters in that behalfe.

m. 8.

1669-70. Fourth Friday after 25th December, 1669. 1669-70.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto
the said assembly, shewing that, by a late act¹ of common
councell in this citty, a committee had been appoynted
to sett forth a fitt place in Ostmantowne Greene for Ostman-
towne
Green.
Hospital.
Committee.
the building of an hospitall, and the said committee were
thereby impowred to take the subscriptions and receive
the monyes given by charitable persons towards the
said pious worke, both for the building and indowing Building.
the same with mainetenance ycarely for ever; that the Endow-
ment.
said committee had made considerable progresse in the Progress.
premisses, and forasmuch as by the said act of common
councell they were ordered to make reporte to a generall
assembly of their actings, therefore the said petitioners
prayed this assembly that the act then annexed to the
petition, and now here under written, conteyneing a true
relation of what hath been subscribed for mainetenance,
and receaved and expended for and towards the building,
togeather with what is yett due for workemanshipp and
materialls hitherto made use of, togeather with what
rests due to the said building of the subscriptions, might
be perused by the generall assembly, and (upon appro-

¹ See p. 459.

1669-70.
Record in
city.

Continua-
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Dublin.

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nance.

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council.

bation) to be made a record in this citty, whereby a lasteing memory might be reteyned of the present benefactors names, which will be an incouragement for others to follow their good example; alsoe that the true and just dealeing of the said committee might be preserved from calumny which, through ignorance of their actings, might be by some persons cast upon them; and further humbly prayed the said assembly would continue the said committee, or appointe others, fully impowred to proceede in that good worke as to the building of the same, and receiveing all subscriptions for the indowing thereof, alsoe for the procureing a charter for the government and founding the same, conformable to that of Christs Hospitall in London; and that towards cleareing a greate scruple made by many persons how mainetenance should be had for those to be placed therein, that the said assembly would be pleased to sett apart the rents and arreares of rents payable unto this citty out of the Greenes, commonly called Ostmantowne Greene and St. Stephens Greene, towards the buildeing and mainetenance of the said Hospitall, under the citty seale, made over to certaine persons as feoffees in trust for the ends aforesaid, as Mr. Recorder and other councell, learned in the law, should advise, which will be much for the honour of this citty and a very greate encouragement to private persons further to contribute thereunto: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the former committee for the said Hospitall be and are hereby continued, in manner as formerly, and impowred to act as in the petition is sett forth, and to meete from time to time at fitt place or places, and to appointe a sub-committee of themselves to act in all the concernes petitioned for, and the said committee to receive the account of the said sub-committee, and to report the same to the common councell of this citty, as they see cause, and this assembly doth declare their good acceptance of the

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dilligence of the said committee and faithfull actings in 1669-70.
the carrying out of that good worke soe forward, through
Gods blessing, beyond expectation, and doe approve and **Approval.**
allow the account hereunder written, and order the same
to be enrolled amongst the records of this citty; and
furthermore, that the generall assembly doe order and
enact, and be it ordered and enacted, that an instrument
be drawne by advise of Mr. Recorder, whereunto the
citty seale may be affixed, for conveying the rents and **Convey-
ance.
Rents.
Profits.**
profitts of both Greenes, as in the petition is expressed
and as the same are now sett, the feoffees to be named by
the said committee, or the quorum of them, and that the
said feoffees shall have power to reenfeoffe the said
rents to such governors, trustees or feoffees as shall be
named and expressed in the charter to be obteyned; **Charter.**
and that the present treasurer of this citty doe deliver
to the said feoffees, or whome they shall appointe, what
mony he hath received since Michaelmas last, and the
acquittance of the said feoffees, or the major parte of
them, shall be sufficient to have the same allowed on his
account, and forbear the collecting of any more of the **Collection.
Rents.**
said rents for time to come, whereby the pious ends in
the petition propounded may be fully and cheerfully
answered, to the greate honour and reputation of this
antient citty. Memorandum: the rents to be reserved
for the use aforesaid to commence at Michaelmas last
and [be] payable at Easter next.

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[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned
unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas they are
abundantly sensible of those very many greate and
acceptable favours done unto this citty, not onely by the
most noble James, Duke of Ormond, his grace, but alsoe **Duke of
Ormonde.
Earl of
Ossory.**
by the right honourable, Thomas, earle of Ossory, his
sonne, late lord deputy of the kingdome of Ireland,
under whose serene and happy government, and by
whose successful mediation to the kings most excellent
majestie (whome God preserve), many of those gracious

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Conces-
sions.

Royal
chamber.

Ormonde
family.

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thanks.

Seal of
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Presenta-
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Stephen's
Green,
Trees.
Pavements.
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severall late concessions and additions of honour and advantage have been conferred on this citty by his majestie, their lordshipps haveing been allwaies industrious to promote whatsoever might tend to the confirming or enlarging of the privileges of this his majesties royall chamber, since their first accesse respectively to the government of this kingdome: in consideration whereof, and as a marke of our grateful acknowledg-ment to his lordship, the earl of Ossory, and that most noble, loyall and ancient family, the said petitioners humbly praye that an order of this assembly might be conceived whereby his lordship may have the freedome of this citty presented to him, and that Mr. Recorder might be desired to prepare a letter of thanks, with a request of his acceptance thereof, to accompany the same to his lordship; the said letter to be under the seale of the office of the said citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, on consideration had of the said petition, and of those many large and ample favours conferred on this citty by the right honourable the earle of Ossory, in the time of his government in this kingdome, it is ordered that his lordship, the said earle of Ossory, be forthwith presented with the freedom of this citty, under the common seale thereof, and that Mr. Recorder be and is hereby desired to prepare a letter to accompany the same to his lordship, as in the petition is desired, with a request to his lordship to accept the same as a monument of this cittys gratitude and affection to his lordship; and that the said freedome shall be presented in such a box as the Lord Maior and Sheriffs shall thinke fitt

[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth that severall persons were engaged by covenants, whoe had lotts on St. Stephens Green, to plant trees round St. Stephens Greene, and by their fines to make pavements round the wall, and the said worke being not done, these petitioners

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humbly prayed the said assembly that an agent might be ^{1669-70.} appointed for putting in suite the generall and respective covenant of each person concerned in the said lotts of the said Greene, that soe the said Greene might be beautified and adorned for the use of the said citty, as it was first ^{Adornment.} intended, and that a person might be appointed to looke to the said Greene: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that Mr. Richard Lord, the cittys agent, be imployed to manadge and sollicite the said affaires from time to time hereafter, for that the petitioners are informed that there is a greate quantity of lime trees now within this citty to be sould at ^{Lime trees.} reasonable rates.

[4.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that by reason of the want of a convenient place in this citty where the sellers of ^{Sales.} poultry, wild fowle and rabbetts, and such like things, ^{Poultry. Wild fowl. Rabbits.} might stand dry, the streets are much pestred with hucksters sitting under bulks and stalls in the streete, ^{Hucksters.} whereby the streetes are made soe narrow that coaches ^{Coaches.} or cartts cannott well passe or turne, which is a greate annoyance to the inhabitants of this citty, and would be remedied if a convenient shedd were erected in some ^{Shed.} street of this citty for the ends aforesaid, and therefore the said petitioners humbly prayed the said assembly to lay downe some course in this assembly, for the erecting of such a convenient shedd or place as aforesaid, the same being necessary both for buyer and seller: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior and Sheriffes, for the time being, calling such to their assistance as his Lordshipp shall thinck fitt, doe consider and appointe a convenient place to the end in the petition mentioned, and that they order a shedd or house to be erected for the use above ^{Erection.} said, and that the charge thereof be paid out of the treasury of this citty, on the Lord Maiors warrant, provided it exceed not the sume of thirty pounds, sterling.

- [5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the Roll xv.
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 1669-70. authority aforesaid, that John Price, of the citty of
 John Price. Dublin, merchant, for and in consideration of the
 surrendring of two former leases of the premisses here-
 after mentioned unto the said Lord Maior and Sherriffes,
 commons and cittyzens, the one made to Christopher
 White. White, dated the 16th day of October, 1635, and the
 other dated the 18th day of July, 1656, made unto the
 said John Price, shall have a lease of a plott of ground
 Wood quay. situate on the Wood key, formerly intended for an
 Exchange. Exchange, and now in the possession of the said John
 Price, conteyning in length twenty six yards, or there-
 abouts, and in breadth thirteene yards, or thereabouts,
 for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence from
 Easter next, at the yearely rent of fifteene pounds,
 sterling, to the treasurer of the said citty, for the use of
 the citty, and a couple of fatt capons att Christmas
 yearely, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, to the
 Lord Maior of the said citty for the time being, at the
 election and choice of the said Lord Maior, the said rent
 to be paid over and above all charges whatsoever; the
 said lease to be in full of all the petitioners demands from
 the citty concerneing the same, and that such clauses
 be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke
 fitt, and all the arreares due to the citty out of the
 premisses to be remitted the petitioner.
- [6.] That William Brookes, of the citty of Dublin,
 William Brookes. brewer, shall have a lease of the tower situate on the west
 side of Bridge streete, Dublin, in the backside of the howse
 Bridge street. lately in the possession of Alderman Francis Brewster,
 Brewster. conteyneing in length six yards and halfe a foote, and in
 breadth tenn foote, which said tower was formerly,
 amongst other things, demised unto one Christopher
 Cosgrave. Cosgrave, deceased, the said William Brookes to have
 the said premisses for the tearme of ninety nine yeares,
 at the yearely rent of forty shillings, sterling, to be paid
 to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the said citty

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and a couple of fatt capons at Christmas yearly to the Lord Maier of the said citty, for the time being, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at the election and choice of the said Lord Mayor, the said lease to commence at Easter next, and that such clauses be incerted therein as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt, and the citty to have egresse and regresse unto and from the premisses to distraine for rent in arreare, and to have possession of the same in case of danger or warr.

[7.] Whereas alsoe captain John Quelch petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that he was much abused by severall persons whoe bring herrings and other fish, and put them to sale in severall partes of this citty, and doe not come into the markett place to sell them, for which the petitioner payeth a considerable rent unto this citty, the said petitioner therefore humbly prayed the said assembly that there might be an order layd downe for the forcing such persons to put their fish to sale in the publique markett, or to pay satisfaction for the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority afforesaid, that the petitioner doe, from time to time, repaire to the Lord Maier of the said citty, for the time being, and that his lordshipp be desired to remove all such persons as shall sell fish in any other place then in the fish markett appointed for that purpose, or that the said persons whoe sell fish in any other partes of the citty then in the fish markett, as aforesaid, be compelled by his lordshipp to pay such duty as if they sold the same in the fish markett; and what shall be soe paid, or what hath been paid or received for such duty, the same to be paid to the petitioner, pursuant to his grante from the citty.

John
Quelch.

Herrings.
Fish.
Sales.

Fish.
Public.
market.

Order.

Lord
Mayor.

Removal.

Duty.

[8.] That Anthony Derry, of the citty of Dublin, glover, shall have a lease for the tearme of fifty one yeares of a small parcell of waste ground fronting to Christ church lane, Dublin, conteineing in length, from the howse comonly called the Dukes head, in Christ

Derry,
glover.

Christ
Church
lane.
Duke's
head

- 1669-70. church lane, in the north, to the pavement of High streete, in the south, two and forty foote, and in breadth, from the howse now in the possession of Minard Christian, merchant, in the west, to the pavement in the east, seaven and twenty foote, to commence from Easter next, payeing unto the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the citty, the sune of twenty pounds, sterling, per annum, over and above all taxes, and to be bound to allow convenient accommodation, from time to time, to his majesties guards or other guards of this citty, as shall be necessary; and that such clauses be incerted in the said lease, as Mr. Recorder shall think fitt.¹
- Williams. [9.] That Thomas Williams be and is heerby admitted an officer at mace, in the stead and place of William Shelton, mace bearer, deceased, to hold and enjoy the same dureing the pleasure of the citty.
- Shelton. Mace-bearer.
- Franchise. Admissions to franchise. m. 5.

[i.] An accoutpt of what is allreadie subscribed towards building and mainetenance of the Hospitall on Oustmantowne, alias Oxmantowne Greene, Dublin, together with what hath been received of the same, and alsoe what remains unpaid of the said subscriptions, the 15th of January, 1669-70:

Hospital on Oxmantowne Greene. m. 8.

The names of the benefactors or subscribers for the Hospitall:	The summes subscribed for future maineten- ance by the year, for ever:	The summes subscribed for the building, to be paid presently:	The summes received upon thesubscrip- tions for the building:	The summes unpaid on the said subscrip- tions for the building:
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Alderman Forrest ... ..	...	10 - -	2 10 -	7 10 -
Sir William Davys his lott on Oxmantowne Greene ... ..	...	...	...	...
Alderman Smith his lott on the said Greene ... ..	...	...	...	...
Alderman Tighe	10 - -	20 - -	20 - -	...

¹ In margin: "The petitioner refuseth to take out his lease, and therefore this grant is void."

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The names of the benefactors or subscribers for the Hospitall:	The summes subscribed for future mainten- ance by the year, for ever:	The summes subscribed for the building, to be paid presently:	The summes received upon the subscrip- tions for the building:	The summes unpaid on the said subscriptions for the building:	1669-70. Hospital on Oxman- towne Green.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Alderman Hutchinson	40 - -	40 - -	..	
Alderman Preston, two lotts on the said Greene	
Alderman Quin	100 - -	100 - -	...	
Alderman Lewis Desmynieres, two lotts, and	...	20 - -	20 - -	...	
Alderman Reader ...	5 - -	...	2 10 -	...	
Alderman Allen ...	5 - -	34 5 5	34 5 5	...	
Alderman Brewster ...	30 - -	100 - -	100 - -	...	
Alderman Fookes	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Alderman Daniel Wybrants	50 - -	50 - -	...	
Alderman Bennett	10 - -	...	10 - -	
Mr. Robert Arrundell	8 - -	4 - -	4 - -	
Mr. John Eastwood	10 - -	5 - -	5 - -	
Mr. John Price	20 - -	10 - -	10 - -	
Mr. William Gressingham	20 - -	15 - -	5 - -	
Mr. John Linacre	20 - -	...	20 - -	
Mr. James Yeates ...	22 - -	5 - -	5 - -	...	
Mr. William Brookes	10 - -	...	10 - -	
Mr. Elias Best	10 - -	...	10 - -	
Mr. Phillip Castleton, one tunn of iron, vallew	20 - -	20 - -	...	
Mr. Edward Wells	6 - -	6 - -	...	
Mr. Samuel Saltonstall	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Giles Mee	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Robert Hughes	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. George Surdevile ...	3 - -	...	...	...
Mr. John Quelsh	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. William Story	10 - -	5 - -	5 - -	
Mr. Richard Ward, tenn thousand of bricks, vallew	8 - -	8 - -	...	
Mr. Peter Ward	1 - -	1 - -	...	
Mr. John Sheppard	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Robert Mead	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. John Smith ...	2 - -	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Luke Lowther	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. William Thurovgood	10 - -	7 10 -	2 10 -	
Mr. Robert Neale	3 - -	3 - -	...	
Mr. John Bradock	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Richard Huysh	20 - -	...	20 - -	
Mr. Thomas Hooke	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. William North	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. John Bolton	5 - -	5 - -	...	
A person of quality, who desires to be nameless ...	20 - -	...	10 - -	...	
Mr. John Dutton, halfe a tunn of iron, value	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Walter Motly	5 - -	3 15 -	1 5 -	
Mr. Simon Carrick	5 - -	2 10 -	2 10 -	
Mr. Nathaniel Philpott ...	5 - -	10 - -	7 10 -	2 10 -	
Mr. Henry Warren	10 - -	5 - -	5 - -	

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Hospital
on Oxman-
towne
Greene.

The names of the benefactors or subscribers for the Hospitall :				The summes subscribed for future maineten- ance by the year, for ever :	The summes subscribed for the building to be paid presently :	The summes received upon the subscrip- tions for the building :	The summes unpaid on the said subscrip- tions for the building :	Roll xv. m. 8 b.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Mr. Henry Orson	...	...	...	...	5 - -	5 - -	...	
Sir Edward Smith	...	...	...	...	50 - -	50 - -	...	
Sir Henry Tichburne	...	...	...	...	70 - -	70 - -	...	
Mr. William Williams, brewer	...	...	...	...	100 - -	100 - -	...	
Mr. Philip Dannsey	...	...	...	...	4 - -	...	4 - -	
Mr. George Stoughton	...	...	...	...	8 - -	...	8 - -	
Mr. William Brookeing	...	...	...	...	4 - -	2 - -	2 - -	
Mr. Jonathan Northeast	...	...	...	...	4 - -	4 - -	...	
Mr. Miles Marshall	...	...	...	...	2 - -	...	2 - -	
Mr. Mathew Nulty	...	...	...	...	2 - -	1 - -	1 - -	
Mr. James Hewston	...	...	...	...	2 - -	1 - -	1 - -	
Mr. Thomas Gould	...	...	...	...	2 - -	1 - -	1 - -	
Mr. Edward Reily	...	...	...	...	1 - -	...	1 - -	
Mr. Robert Bradye	...	...	...	...	5 - -	5 - -	...	
The Trinyty Guild	...	...	...	...	25 - -	25 - -	...	
Mr. James Browne	...	...	...	...	2 - -	...	2 - -	
Mr. Edward Briscoe	...	...	...	...	6 - -	3 - -	3 - -	
Mr. Abel Ram ..	...	...	...	...	10 - -	10 - -	...	
Mr. Samuel Dancer	...	...	...	...	5 - -	...	5 - -	
Mr. Edward Robinson	...	...	...	...	5 - -	2 10 -	2 10 -	m. 7.
Mr. Richard Young	...	...	...	- 10 -	5 - -	5 - -	...	
Mr. Ralph Wallis	...	...	...	...	10 - -	...	10 - -	
Mr. Thomas Whitmore	...	...	...	...	5 - -	5 - -	...	
Mr. Jonathan Buttertoun	...	...	...	...	3 - -	3 - -	...	
Mr. Barnard Vizar	...	...	...	...	2 10 -	2 10 -	...	
Mrs. Katherin Percivall	...	...	...	...	20 - -	20 - -	...	
Mr. Thomas Tennant	...	...	...	...	2 - -	1 - -	1 - -	
Mr. John Lovett	...	...	...	...	5 - -	...	5 - -	
Mr. John Fleetewood	...	...	...	...	1 - -	...	1 - -	
Mr. Thomas Graves	...	...	...	...	5 - -	...	5 - -	
Mr. John Caron	...	...	...	...	1 - -	- 10 -	- 10 -	
Mr. Hugh Leason	..	...	...	...	2 - -	1 1 3	- 18 9	
				82 10 - Subscribed for maine- tenance, by the year for ever.	1103 15 5 Subscribed to the building.	940 1 8 Received.	176 3 9 Not Received	

[ii.] An accompt of what hath been payd in parte
 Payments. payment of the worke done at the Hospitall on Oust-
 mantowne, alias Oxmantowne Greene, Dublin, together
 Materials. with what remaines yett unpaid for materialls and
 workmanship allreadie brought in and done on the same,
 Workman- from the 28th of May, 1669, at which time the said
 ship. pious worke first began, till the 15th of January,
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The names, severall kinds and species of materialls and workemanship already come in and done at the Hospital	The summes, with materialls and workmanship, already come in, amount unto	The summes payd for materialls and workeman- shipp	The summes remaining yett unpaid of materialls already come in, and workmanship	1669-70. Hospital on Oxman- towne Green.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
The laborers from the 28th of May, 1669, till the 15th January, 1669 ...	23 16 3	23 16 3	...	
Stones from Patrick Sedgrave, 1219 perches, 15 feete, at 2s. 8d. per perch. Lime from the said person : 1728 hogs- heads, at 13d. per hoghead ...	257 5 10	219 11 4	37 14 6	
Lime from James Browne, 208 hogs- heads, at 15d. per hoghead ...	13 - 6	...	13 - 6	
Bricks from Mr. Hilton, 8 thousand ...	5 16 -	5 16 -	...	
Bricks from Captain Nicholas, 181 thou- sand, 7 loads, at 16s. per thousand ...	145 10 -	50 - -	95 10 -	
Sand, from time to time, for mortar ...	21 5 11	21 5 11	...	
Timber from Paul Cudmore and others. Timber from the Wybrants, one hun- dred tuns ...	76 7 5	76 7 5	...	
Iron smithsworke and nailes ...	175 - -	100 - -	75 - -	
Deale boards bought in severall parcells The overseer of the workemen, for his wages, at 5s. per weeke ...	47 1 4	39 11 4	7 10 -	
The bricklayers and masons, for 1541 perches of stone worke, at 18d. per perch, and eight hundred and 14 perches of brickwork, at 12d per perch	15 5 6	15 5 6	...	
The bricklayers, more for arching the seller, 214 perches, 19 feete, at 2s. per perch, for pertition walls, 183 perches at 12d. per perch, and for 21 chimnies, and for the windowes and doores of the chapple and severall other particulars not before compre- hended ...	8 14 -	8 14 -	...	
The carpenters, for makeing of win- dowes, dorecases and parte of floor- ing and parte of roofing, etc. ...	156 5 6	...	...
The messenger to the committee ...	80 14 8	174 16 4	62 3 10	
Freestone and stone cutter ...	86 16 6	86 16 6	...	
Pavers of the pavement ...	5 - -	2 10 -	2 10 -	
The sawyers, for sawing timber ...	9 10 -	9 10 -	...	
For water, before the pompe was made For the pompe for mortar, tubs, skreens, ropes and other utencells ...	3 17 8	3 17 8	...	
For tenn thousand bricks from Mr. Richard Ward ...	24 10 4	24 10 4	...	
Stones from Evans of Glassnevan, 191 perches at 2s. 2d. per perch, and lime from the same person, 378 hogsheds at 13d. per hoghead ...	- 18 4	- 18 4	...	
	6 19 3	6 19 3	...	
	8 - -	8 - -	...	
	45 18 10	30 - -	15 18 10	
Totall ...	1217 13 10	908 6 3	309 7 7	
	Worke and materialls.	Paid in parte	Unpaid.	

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Laws and orders :—

Earl of
Ossory.

Enrolment.

City
records.
Treasury
of city.

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the said assembly, shewing that his excellency, Thomas earle of Ossory, had by his lordshipps letter, dated the 12th day of March last, at Whitehall, signified his lordshipps good acceptance of his freedome of this citty, lately presented unto him, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that the said letter might be enrolled amongst the records of this citty, and the originall thereof preserved in the treasury of this citty, as above is desired. The tenor of which said letters followeth in these words :—

[i.] ‘These to the right honourable Thomas, earle of Ossory, humbly present :

Letter from
Lord
Mayor,
Sheriffs,
etc.

‘Wee, the Lord Maior, Sherriffes, commons and cittyzens of his majesties ancient and most faithfull and loyall citty of Dublin, haveing lately (as often heretofore) taken into our contemplation your lordshipps many favours to this citty, not onely in your constant care and tendernesse thereof and of its priviledges, when wee had the high honour of your lordshipps presence here in government,² but alsoe being an happie instrument in the procuring those late concessions of honour and bounty derived to this citty from the hands of his sacred majestie, which, as wee cannott but for ever celebrate with all humble thankfullnesse, constant duty and perpetuall loyalty, soe wee shall att all times treasure up a gratefull memory of your lordshipps favourable interposition for us, and as a marke thereof give us leave (wee beseech your lordshipp) to present you with your lordshipps freedome of this citty, herewith sent you, and vouchsafe to honour this citty with your lordshipps favourable acceptance of the same, wherein wee have

Concessions
to Dublin.

Charles II.

Interposi-
tion.Freedom
of city.¹ Easter day, 3 April, 1670.² Thomas, earl of Ossory, was lord

deputy in Ireland in 1664-65, and in 1667-69.

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not the vanitye to suppose this act of ours to add ^{1670.}

any honour to him whose name in our roll of free- ^{Roll of}
domes may well deserve the second place. Be pleased to ^{freemen.}

be named the second, since to the second noe small
addition is given by the first, your lordshipps most noble

father, James, duke of Ormonde, his grace justly chal- ^{Duke of}
lenging the priority, whose very many excellencies have ^{Ormonde.}

worthily fixed him in a pleasant prospect to this citty
and kingdome, witnesse his unparelled humanity to

severall hundreds of poore distressed English in this ^{Distressed}
kingdome, whoe, in the beginning of the rebellion here, ^{English.}

with their wives and tender infants, to the perill of their
lives, repaired to this citty, stript, denuded and left

destitute of everything but the common ayre they
breathed, and that done in a time, when, deprived of his

larger patrimonyes, as alsoe his steddly conduct, un-
wearyed endeavours, and perplexed difficultyes to pre-

serve by secure and honourable articles the truly loyall
cittyzens¹ of this citty and the priviledges thereof when,

upon termes of disadvantages and necessity, his grace
was by the severer powers² wrested from us, to which

give us leave to add those very many reall and still
continued favours from him derived to this citty, when

wee had the happinesse of liveing under the securer
shade of his late easie government of this citty and

kingdome, all which render him to us princely in his
virtues, unblemished in his loyalty, and truly blessed in

his offspring, your lordshipp being, in truth, the second
edition of his grace. But we feare that our deserved

zeale and unerring affections for his grace, whoe has
thus knowne, pittied and releived Joseph in all his

miseryes, have flattered us into a digression, yet for
which without a confused aspect, wee cannott easily

implore a pardon, least the length of the excuse might
add to the confessed offences. Most noble lord, wee

knowe nott but your greater and more weighty con-

¹, ², See vol. iii., pp. xxx.—xxxvi.

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cernes have by this rendered our letters an interruption to your lordshipp, wee shall nott, therefore, presume to take upp more of your lordshipps better time, onely beseech your lordshipp to beleve that this citty will never be wanting in the greatest loyalty to his most sacred majestie and most sincere affections to your lordshipp. In testimony whereof the Lord Maior and Sherriffes, for and on the behalfe of themselves and the whole body of this citty, have hereunto putt their hands, as alsoe all of us have to this our lettre, the seale of the office of this citty, which wee assure your lordshipp is never affixed to a lettre of complement.—Lewis Desmynieres, Maior, Dublin.—William Story and Richard Ward, Sherriffes.

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m. 10.

[ii.] 'For the right honourable the Lord Maior and the Sherriffes of the citty of Dublin, these: m. 10 b.

Letter from
Earl of
Ossory.

'My lord, I received your lordshipps lettre, signed alsoe by the Sherriffes of the citty of Dublin, bestoweing upon mee my freedome, together with expressions soe obligeing both as to my father and my selfe, as I vallue more that favour then any other that has beene placed upon me, excepting those proceeding from the bounty of the king, my master. You have now added bonds to my inclinations, which have ever tended to the welfare of your corporation, by makeing me a member thereof. The beginning of my life, if infancy can be soe called, was within your jurisdiction, and my first entrance into publick employments was the care of that kingdome, of which your towne is the first and most considerable, and upon whose experienced loyalty I most relyed in discharge of that trust. I beseech you to assure the table of aldermen and the common councell that I am most thankefull and sensible of the many markes of kindnesse which they have placed on my father and my selfe, and that I shall ever be to the citty of Dublin a most faithfull cittyzen and affectionate servant.—Ossory.'

Duke of
Ormonde.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons

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petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that 1670.
 whereas there are many endeavours lately used to
 deprive this auncient and honourable citty of many
 their priviledges and immunities granted unto the cor- Privileges.
 poration of this citty by his sacred majestie and his Immuni-
 royall predecessors, kings and queenes of England, etc.; ties,
 and particularly in bringing the liberties of St. Thomas Dublin Cor-
 court and St. Marys Abbey, etc., to be in the county of poration.
 Dublin, and forcing the inhabitants of those liberties St. Thomas'
 to doe their service and give their attendance at the court.
 quarter sessions held for the county, although, in truth, St. Mary's
 they are scittuate in the county of the citty of Dublin; Abbey.
 that for prevention of that abuse the Sherriffes of the County of
 the said citty summoned severall inhabitants of the afore- city.
 said liberties to appeare and give their attendance at
 the quarter sessions held for the county of the said citty,
 in which the Sherriffes ought to be encouraged and Sheriffs.
 indemnified, as the petitioners conceive, forasmuch as
 their endeavours therein tend to the advantadge of the
 citty and mainetaineing the priviledges thereof. But in
 regard the Sherriffes are threatned to be molested in the Molesta-
 premisses and for their actings therein, it is therefore tion.
 ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid,
 that the Sherriffes of the citty of Dublin, for the time
 being, and their officers, be indemnified and saved Indemnity.
 harnelesse from time to time from any suites at law or Suits.
 molestations whatsoever, for their summoning the afore-
 said inhabitants to appeare at the quarter sessions of
 this citty, and that the agent of this citty have authority, Agent of
 under the citty seale, to defend such suits as shall be city.
 commenced against the Sherriffes of this citty, or their
 officers, for or by reason of the premisses, the same to be
 done at the citty's charge, and that the like authoryty
 be given the said agent to commence and prosecute such Prosecu-
 suites or indictments as shall be advised by the citty's tion.
 councill from time to time for the Sherriffes of the
 county his intruding on the liberties of this citty.

1670.	[3.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the said commons	Roll xv. m. 10 b.
Ancient laws. Attendance. Quarter assemblies.	petitioned likewise to the said assembly, shewing that by the auncient lawes of this citty such of the common counsell of this citty as doe not give their attendance at the generall quarter assemblies for three assemblies together, should be putt out of the rolle of numbers, and others chosen in their places, and the petitioners haveing observed the said persons following, to witt: Thomas Orr, Felix Byrne and Robert Baytrip have withdrawne themselves from the quarter assembly for more than three quarter dayes together, by which meanes the affaires of this citty and due advice aboute the publique concernes thereof were very much retarded: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid, that the aforesaid persons above complained of be put out of the rolle of numbers, and that others be chosen in their places.	
Orr. Byrne. Baytrip.		
Removal. Roll of members.	[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the	m. 9.
Sir Theophilus Jones.	authority aforesaid, that sir Theophilus Jones, knight, shall have a fee farme to him and his heires for ever of one plott or parcell of land, scittuate, lyeing and being on Oxmantowne Greene, by north the highway leading to Kilmainham bridge, conteyneing on the east end from the corner of the wall there lately built by Alderman Richard Tighe, in the north to the highway by the river Analiffey, on the south sixty three yards, and from thence westward by the said highway to his grace, James, lord duke of Ormond his wall, seaventy three yards and one foote, and from south to north on the west end alonge the said lord duke of Ormondes wall, forty two yards, and on the north side from the said lord duke of Ormonds wall, on the west, eastward to Alderman Tighes wall, eighty seaven yards, he givinge a peece of plate to follow the sword of this citty, and alsoe payeing the yearly rent of six shillings, eightpence, sterling, unto the treasurer of this citty, for the use of the said citty, and to be bound to make up a wall towards the said Greene, and to have noe passage or doore case therein;	
Oxman-town Green.		
Tighe. Liffey.		
Duke of Ormonde.		
Wall.		
Piece of plate. City sword.		
Passage.		

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m. 9. and that such other clauses be inserted in his deed as 1670.
Mr. Recorder shall think fitt.

[5.] Alderman Enoch Reader is chosen and elected Lord Mayor.
Lord Maior of this citty of Dublin for the next ensuing
yeare.

[6.] Mr. Richard Hanway and Mr. Isaack John are Sheriffs.
chosen and elected Sherriffes of the said citty for the
said yeare.

m. 6. Admissions to franchise. Franchise.

m. 9. 1670. July 5. Law, order and constitution:—

Whereas certaine of the commons petitioned unto the
said assembly, beseeching them to present his excellency, Presen-
tation.
the lord lieutenant of Ireland, with his freedome of this Freedom.
citty, under the citty seale, in such manner as assembly Lord
lieutenant.
of Ireland.
shall thinke fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon,
by the authoryty aforesaid, that his lordshipp be pre-
sented with his freedome, as above is desired, in such
manner as the Lord Maior and Sherriffes shall thinke fitt,

m. 11. 1670. Fourth Friday after 24 June.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas Anne Porter, alias Dixon, a poor aged Porter.
Dixon.
widdow, petitioned unto the said assembly, setting forth
her present necesitous condition, and praying the bene-
volence of this assembly: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by authority of the said assembly, that the
said petitioner shall have the sune of three pounds, ster- Grant.
ling, per annum out of the treasury of the citty, to be
paid her quarterly for her present support, the same to
be continued untill such time as there be a vacancy of
one of the poor six widdowes places; and that when such Poor
widows.
vacancy shall happen, then the petitioner shall have the
same dureing her life; and that the said stipend of three
pounds per annum shall then cease, and in the meane
time the Lord Mayors warrant to the treasurer shall be
sufficient to have the said sallary of three pounds per
annum allowed him on his account.

1670. Orson.	[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by authority <small>Roll xv. m. 11.</small> aforesaid, that Henry Orson, merchant, on surrender of the former lease, shall have a new lease of the small islands above the Bridge of Dublin in the river Anna-liffy, containing in length, from the stones at the west end of the walke between the river and the Bowling Greene, along the road leading to the Phenix, eight and fifty perches, and in breadth, from the road or high way in the north, and crosse the great island to the southernmost point of the little island, fifteen perches, and in breadth on the east end six perches, and from the broadest part to the west end it growes narrower and narrower, and determines in an acute angle—the whole circuit is one hundred, twenty three perches, at one and twenty foot to the perch, and the content is three acres, one rood and twenty five perches—for tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at Michaelmas next, at the yearly rent of three pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of the citty for the use of the citty, and two sugar loafes, of the value of five shillings le peece, to the Lord Mayor of the said citty, for the time being, at Christmas yearly, or tenne shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at the election and choice of the said Lord Mayor, for the time being, and that such clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
Islands. Bridge. Liffey. Bowling Green. Phenix.	
Measure- ment. Perches, Feet.	
Sugar loaves.	
Franchise.	Admissions to franchise. <small>m. 9 b.</small>

1670. Third Friday after 29 September.

m. 12.

Lord Mayor, Sheriffs. Lord Maior: Enoch Reader, esquire; Sheriffs: Richard Hanway and Isaak John.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

Treasurer. [1.] Mr. Lewis Desmynieres, alderman, is chosen and elected treasurer of the citty of Dublin for the next ensueing yeare.

Auditors. [2.] The Lord Maior and Sherriffes, all the aldermen, Mr. Thomas Hooke, Mr. Richard Lord, Mr. John Sargeant, Mr. John Smith, Mr. John Dutton, and Mr. George

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m. 12.

Stoughton, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Maior ^{1670.} and one of the Sherriffes to be allwayes two, are elected ^{Masters of city works.} auditors of the citty accounts for the said yeare.

[3.] Mr. William Story and Mr. Richard Ward are elected masters of the citty works for the said yeare.

[4.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred a petition unto the said assembly, prayeing them to grant such allowance to the present Lord Maior, for the better ^{Allowance.} mainetenance of the office of magistracy in this citty, as ^{Lord Mayor.} is suitable to the honour and dignity of the citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by authoryty of this assembly, that the present Lord Maior shall have for his allowance for the support of the office of Maioralty this present yeare, the sum of five hundred pounds, ster- ^{Grant.} ling, to be paid quarterly out of the treasury of this citty, on his lordshipp's warrant to the treasurer, to such person as his lordshipp shall appoint; the said warrants to the treasurer to be a sufficient discharge to have the same allowed the treasurer on his account.

[5.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto this said assembly, shewing that there is greate occasion for a retireing roome to be added to the Tholsell of this citty, for committees and other councill of ^{Tholsel.} this citty to withdraw themselves upon conferences and ^{Committees.} other debates, etc., under consideration of the assemblies, ^{Conferences.} and therefore the petitioner prayed that order might be taken up this assembly for the speedy erecting such a roome upon pillars, at the south end of the Tholsell: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid, that the Lord Maior and Sherriffes, for the time being, the said Lord Maior, calling such to their assistance as his lordshipp shall thinke fitt, doe and are hereby impowred to treat with the minister, churchwardens and parishioners of St. Nicholas parish, within ^{St. Nicholas' parish, within the walls.} the walls, of and concerneing the premisses; and if they, on behalfe of the citty, doe obtaine licence from the said parishioners for the erecting a withdrawing roome, as

<sup>Room.
Pillars.</sup>

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aforesaid, that then the Lord Maior, and such others as his lordshipp shall call to his assistance, doe take effectuall care to erect the said roome, and that the charge thereof be paid by the treasurer of the citty, on the Lord Maiors warrant, provided it exceed not the sum of one hundred pounds, sterling. Roll xv.
m. 12.

Lord
Lieutenant.Engines.
Fire.Hooks.
Ladders.
Buckets.

[6.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that forasmuch as his excellency the lord lieutenant of this kingdome hath given it in charge to the present Lord Maior, to take care that the citty be provided and furnished with engines, etc., to quench fire in time of danger, the petitioners therefore prayed that engines, etc., might be prepared for that purpose: it is ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the consideration of the premisses is referred to the Lord Maior, who is desired and impowred to treat with such persons as shall propose to make such engines, etc., and to take order that hookes, ladders, bucketts, etc., be provided in every parish in such manner as his lordshipp shall thinke fitt.

Rents.

St.
Stephen's
Green.
Oxman-
town
Green.
Hospital.

[7.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by authority aforesaid (on a petition of certaine of the commons), that all and singular the arreares of rents reserved and due unto the citty out of severall lotts and portions of land scituatt on St. Stephen's and Oxmantowne Greennes, shall be and are hereby given and granted to the use of the Hospitall on Oxmantowne Greene. The said rents to be collected and disposed of by the trustees appointed for that worke to the use aforesaid.

Mee.

Lock.

Pipes.
St. James'
parish.

[8.] That Giles Mee, of this citty, brewer, on surrender of James Lock, sonn unto Mr. John Lock, his lease of the same premisses, shall have a lease for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence at Michaelmas last, of the ground called the Pipes, in the parish of St. James, conteineing in breadth without the pipe head, eleven yards north and south, and in the midle eightene yards, by west towards m. 12 b.

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m. 12 b.

the railes, fiteene yards, and in length foure hundred
and twenty seaven yards, or thereabouts, and in breadth
within the cisterne doore twelve yards, and in the north
side in length, east and west, fiteene yards, besides bothe
the ridges leading from the said ground to Dolphins ^{Dolphins}
Barne, he payeing the yearly rent of forty shillings, ^{Barne.}
sterling, to the treasurer of the said citty for the time
being, for the use of the said citty, and to be bound not
to graze any cattell on the premises nor to permitt sallys ^{Grazing.}
or willows to grow there dureing the tearme; and alsoe ^{Willows.}
that the said Giles Mee doe permitt the Lord Maior,
Sherriffes, commons and cittizens, and their successors,
from time to time, to have free ingresse, egresse and ^{Access.}
regresse into and out of the premisses to repaire, amend
and maintaine the water course running through the ^{Water}
same, and to have the libertie of cutting and useing ^{course.}
sodds and earth for that purpose dureing the said tearme, ^{Sods.}
and alsoe that the arreares of rent due on the premisses ^{Earth.}
be remitted the petitioner, and that such clauses be
incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke
fitt.

[9.] Whereas William Hickey,¹ doctor in phisick, ^{Hickey,}
administrator of the goods and chattels of Edward Jans,² ^{doctor in}
alderman, deceased, preferred petition unto the said ^{physic.}
assembly, prayeing the said assembly for satisfaction of ^{Expendi-}
such disbursments and charges as was expended by the ^{ture.}
said Edward Jans, in the yeare 1640, as agent for this ^{Jans.}
citty, and for his sallary, etc., as treasurer in the yeare ^{Treasurer.}
1635, which being audited amounted to ninety odd
pounds, as he alledged in his said petition, on considera-
tion of which petition, although the petitioner, by the
strict rules of law might not recover any thing from this
citty upon the account aforesaid: it is ordered and
agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid, that the Lord
Maior and Sheriffes be and are thereby authorized to

¹ See vol. ii., p. xv.

² See vol. iii., p. 294.

1670. treatc and conclude with the petitioner in such manner as in their grave wisdome they shall thincke fitt, and that any sum that the Lord Maior shall give warrant for to be paid as given to the petitioner, the same not excedeinge ninety pounds, sterling, shall be paid by the treasurer of this citty, for the time being, to the petitioner, and the said warrant, with the petitioner's receipt, shall be agreed discharge for the same, the petitioner givinge a generall release to this citty. Roll xv.
m. 12 b.
- Cox. [10.] Whereas also Sem Cox, clerke, preferred petition unto the said assembly, sheweing that dureing the time
- Wybrants. of the late Maioralty of alderman Peter Wybrants, the
- St. Thomas' street. said citty granted a lease of a house in St. Thomas streete, with the appurtenances, unto Amos Ogden, under certaine rents and covenants therein reserved; that the said house by meane assignment is now in the lawfull possession of the petitioner and his assignes; that the petitioner hath duly paid the rents reserved on the said house unto the treasurer of the citty, and is acquitted for the same; that notwithstanding Cary Dillon and James
- Dillon. Stopford, esquires, have by misinformation in the late
- Stopford. Court of claimes obtained his majestie's letters pattents, under the greate seale of Ireland, wherein the said
- Court of claims. house is given and granted to them, their heires and
- Quit rent. assignes for ever, they payeing a quitt rent for the same
- Exchequer. yearly into his majesties exchequer; that, in pursuance of the said letters pattents, the said Cary Dillon and James Stopford sealed a lease of ejectment upon the premisses, whereupon the petitioner hath engagedged
- City title. himselfe to mainteine the cittyes title in the court of
- Quit rent. common pleas the next tearme; that alsoe the quit rent is called for into his majesties exchequer, and the Sherriffes of this citty threaten dayly to distraine upon the petitioners tennants for the same, and soe doe also
- Farmers of quit rents. his majesties farmers of the quit rents, for what money hath soe accrewed to them since their farmeing of them; therefore the petitioner prayed this assembly to consider

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m. 12 b.

the greate molestation and expense that is put upon him ¹⁶⁷⁰ for the maintaineing of the title to the said house, and to aid him therin, both by produceing the cittyes title thereunto and for putting the said house out of the charge in his majesties court of exchequer: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid, that the citty agent doe take care to defend the ^{City agent.} said suite from time to time, and that he have authoryty under the citty seale to appeare on the behalfe of this ^{Seal.} citty in the defence of the same; the said suite to be defended at the charges of the citty and the petitioner, proportionable to the respective rents thereout reserved.

m. 13.

[11.] Whereas alsoe Richard Lord, this citty agent, ^{Richard Lord.} preferred a petition unto the said assembly, prayeing the said assembly to allow him some compensation for his extraordinary care and expences in and about solliciteing the severall suites commenced for and against this citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty of the said assembly, that the said petitioner be and is hereby continued in his said inplyment for one whole yeare more, from the date hereof, at such yearly allowance as formerly, to be paid him as the ^{City suits.} former allowance was ordered to be paid, and that the petitioner have also the sum of fifty pounds, sterling, paid him out of the treasury of the citty, upon the Lord Maiors warrant to the treasurer, for his extraordinary, paines and expences in and about the premisses, in the petition mentioned, the same to be over and above the said yearly stipend. ^{Allowance.}

m. 11.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

m. 14.

1670. October 28.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that forasmuch as his excellency, the lord lieutenant of this kingdome, had ^{Lord lieutenant.} by his lordshipps lettere, beareing date the seaventeenth ^{Letter.}

1670. day of this present month of October, especially recom- Roll xv.
m 11.
mended to the Lord Maior of this citty to take effectuall
care for provision of fire and candlelight for the guards
in this citty and for repaireing of the guard houses, etc.,
and in regard there is an arreare of rent due from the
citty for the guard house by the Thollsell and other
guard houses, the petitioners therefore prayed this
assembly that (as is usuall in such cases) an applottment
might be made of such sum of money as the assembly
should thinke fitt to answeare the ends aforesaid, the
same to be levyed on the inhabitants of the citty and
suburbs: on consideration of which petition it is ordered
and agreed upon, by the authority of this assembly, that
the sum of two hundred pounds, sterling, be assessed and
levyed on the inhabitants of this citty and suburbs for
the ends above mentioned, the same to be done in such
order as the Lord Maior shall appoint, his lordshipp
calling such to his assistance as he shall thinke fitt; and
that the moneys be paid into the hands of John Raw-
linson, who is to pay it out on the Lord Maiors warrant
to the ends aforesaid, as the Lord Maior in his discretion
shall order.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
petition unto the said assembly, shewing that forasmuch
as by a former act of assembly the hackney coaches
within this citty and suburbs were reduced to the
number of thirty, which are thought to be too few for
the necessary use of the inhabitants and others; and for
that the said coaches, standing in many places within
the walls of this citty, become a very greate nuisance:
it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, that to the aforesaid number of hackney
coaches there be added the number of twenty coaches
more, which additionall coachmen are to be licensed as
the former were ordered to be licensed, and to observe
the same orders and rules as others are to observe; and
that all the said hackney coaches shall be and are hereby

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m. 14.

prohibited to stand in any place or places within this citty other then the Lord Maior, for the time being, shall order and direct at other times then when they are employed; and it is further ordered that the said Lord Maior be and is hereby impowred to put this and the former lawes in execution for the regulateing of the hackney coaches and coachmen.

1670.
Prohi-
bition.

Laws.
Regula-
tions.

[3.] Whereas the minister, churchwardens and parishioners of St. Katherine and St. James parishes, Dublin, preferred petition unto the said assembly, praying the said assembly to grant them liberty to take up the lead of the ould water pipes in the liberty of the Gleabe and Donore in St. Thomas court, and the lead in the churchyard of St. Katherine, aforesaid, and to make use of soe much thereof as should make a sufficient gutter betwixt the two roofes of the said church, now repaireing, the petitioners proposing to returne the remainder to the citty, and to be at the charge of takeing up the whole and makeing good the ground: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authoryty aforesaid, that the petitioners request be and is hereby granted, soe that the petitioners doe take up all the lead that may conveniently be taken up within the said liberties, and doe make good the pavement and ground they breake to that end, and also that the petitioners doe make use of noe more lead then that may serve for the ends above mentioned, the overplus to be returned to Mr. Richard Lord for the cittyes use, and that the said Mr. Lord doe oversee the said worke, and take care that the conditions aforesaid be performed accordingly.

Lead.
Donore.

Pavement.

[4.] Whereas alsoe Richard Buxton and Thomas Jones, gardiners, preferred their petition unto the said assembly, setting forth that there is due to them for makeing and compleateing the walkes about St. Stephens Greene the sum of fifty pounds, sterling, whereof they had received the sum of seaven pounds, tenn shillings; also there was due to them five and forty shillings, being

Buxton,
Jones,
gardeners.

Walks.
St.
Stephens'
Green.

1670. the remainder of what was agreed for to plant the trees Roll xv.
m. 14 b.
about the said Greene, and the sum of three pounds, five
Trees.
Watching. shillings for watching the said trees: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that
it be and is hereby referred to the Lord Maior and
Sherriffes to adjust what is due unto the petitioners, and
that the same be paid them by the treasurer on the Lord
Maiors warrant.

1670. December 5.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred their
petition unto the said assembly, setting forth that the
Carpenters.
Brick-
layers. master of the corporation of carpenters, and the master
and wardens of the corporation of bricklayers and
plaisterers, pursuant to an order of the Lord Maior and
aldermen, haveing severally viewed the defects in the
Tholsel. Thollsell building, which was certified by them unto this
assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authoryty of the said assembly, that the Lord Maior
and Sherriffes doe forthwith imploy workemen to repara
Repair.
Defects. the defects in the said building, the same to be done at
the cittyes charges, by warrant from the Lord Maior to
the treasurer, and that the Lord Maiors warrant be a
sufficient discharge to the treasurer for payment thereof,
provided the said sum doe not exceed one hundred
pounds, sterling.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certaine of the commons preferred
petition alsoe unto the said assembly, setting forth that
Rules.
Orders. notwithstanding the rules and orders established and
confirmed by act of assembly for suppressing the
nulance dayly occasioned by the greate number of
Hackney
coaches. hackney coaches, and alsoe for licensing a competent
Coachmen. number of coachmen, and putting them into some order
and method, becoming a well governed corporation, the
said rules and orders have not had their due observances,
and therefore the said commons humbly prayed this

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m. 14 b.

assembly that some mulct or fine might be imposed by act of assembly on the hackney coachmen, who for the future should not be conformable unto the said orders and such additionall orders as should be considered of and enacted in this assembly, the said fines to be levied for the repaires of the citty pavements: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of this assembly, that every hackney coachman who shall, for time to come, from and after the fourteenth day of December, instant, presume to keepe any hackney coach, and not conforme to the aforesaid orders of assembly laid downe for regulateing the said coachmen, shall, for every time he or they be soe found with a coach, forfitt and pay the sum of forty shillings, sterling, towards the repaire of the citty pavements, the same to be levied by distresse and sale of the parties goods soe offending and not conformeing, on the Lord Maiors warrant, for the time being, to the constables from time to time, or other officers, which said fines are to be paid by the said constables or other officers to the treasurer of the citty for the use aforesaid, and that the Lord Maiors warrant, for the time being, shall be a sufficient authority to the said constables or other officers, for the time being, to levye the said fines by distresse of the goods of the partie or parties not conformeing as aforesaid.

1670.
Fines.

Pavement.

Penalties.

Distress.

Payments.

Constables.

m. 15.

[3.] Whereas also John Savage petitioned unto this assembly, humbly shewing that forasmuch as the petitioner, by order of the right honourable the Lord Maior of this citty, had lately erected a markett house in St. Warburghs street, which stood the petitioner in foureteene pounds, fifteene shillings, sterling, over and above the thirty pounds already paid to him and allowed by act of assembly, as by the particulars thereof did appeare; he therefore humbly prayed this assembly to order him payment of the money in such speedy manner as the assembly should thinke fit: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly,

Savage.

Market-
house.

St.
Werburgh's
street.

Payment

1670. that the petitioners account being first stated and adjusted by the Lord Maior and Sherriffes, the mony shall and is heereby ordered to be paid the petitioner on the Lord Maiors warrant to the treasurer. Roll xv
m. 15.
- Chamber-
laine. [4.] Whereas alsoe Walter Chamberlaine preferred his petition unto this assembly, humbly shewing that whereas the petitioner, very rashly and unadvisedly, had
- Clerk of
market. of late acted as clerke of the markt for the mannor of
- Grange
Gormon. at Grange Gormon aforesaid, in the libertie of the said
- Seal. citty, and did there seale severall vessels, contrary to the law in that case made and provided, but not with any
- Infringe-
ment. intent to deceive, intrude or infringe on this cittys franchises or privileges, for which the petitioner, being afterwards informed thereof, was hartily sorry, and, in testimony of his acknowledgment of the said crime by him committed against this citty, he came voluntarily
- Surrender. to the Lord Maior, and did submissively surrender himselfe; and that since that time (that is to say), at the last quarter sessions held for the county of the said citty, before the Lord Maior and recorder, and other of his majesties justices of the peace for the county of the said
- Indictment. citty, the said petitioner was indicted for the said fact,
- Fine. and upon his submission was justly fined, by the said court, in the sum of one hundred pounds, sterling, and
- Prison. committed unto prison untill he should pay the said fine, where he then lay in a perishing condition, without the favour of this assembly, not being able to pay any parte
- Sub-
mission. of the said fine; he therefore made his humble submission under his hand and seale, and earnestly begged the favour and clemencie of this assembly, that this citty would be pleased, out of their wounted mercy, to pardon the petitioner the said crime, and to remitt the said fine imposed on him, and to order the petitioners enlargement: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the justices of peace above

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m. 15.

mentioned be desired to reduce the said fine to a marke,¹ 1670.
in regard of the petitioners humble submission above of fine.
mentioned.

[5.] Whereas alsoe Thomas West preferred his peti- West.
tion unto this assembly, humbly shewing that forasmuch
as about five weekes past one Mr. Walter Chamberlaine Chamber-
came unto the mannor of Grange Gorman, in the county laine.
of the citty of Dublin, with a warrant, haveing a broad Grange
seale to it, whereby he commanded the petitioner (being Gorman,
sworne constable of the said libertie) to warne all the in- Constable.
habitants therein that were tradesmen and ale sellers to Tradesmen.
the clerke of the marketts court, as he said that the said Ale-sellers.
Mr. Chamberlaine did sitt and act by vertue of the same, Court.
setting up the kings armes over his head, with the King's
standard weights and measures, and did command the arms.
petitioner to act in the citty's libertie, being within the Weights
county of this citty, and told the petitioner that he would and
warrant him against all persons whatever, and did measures.
threaten on him that in case he refused to obey him or
the said warrant to indict him at Killmainam, and putt
him into the exchequer; that, by reason of the said
Chamberlaines threats, he was compelled to obey his com-
mands, for which the petitioner was indicted this last
quarter sessions held for the county of this citty, in two
severall indictments, and upon his submission was fined
by the court in fifty markes and twenty markes, and com-
mitted to prison till he should pay it, where he lay in Prison.
Newgate in a starveing condition; and forasmuch as the Newgate.
petitioner was forced to this contempt by the said Cham-
berlaine, as aforesaid, and was altogether ignorant of such
contrivance, he did therefore humbly beseech this assembly
to be pleased, out of their wonted compassion, to remitt
the said fines and to grant him his enlargement, in
consideration of his charge, and in regard of his humble
acknowledgment, under his hand and seale: it is there-
Petition.

¹ Equivalent to thirteen shillings and four pence.

1670. fore ordered and agreed upon, by authority of the said Roll xv.
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assembly, that the justices of peace for this citty be
Reduction desired to reduce the said fines to sixpence le peece, in
of fines. regard of the petitioners humble submission above men-
tioned, and the petitioner thereupon to be discharged.

1670-71. 1670-[71.] January 13.

Law, order and constitution :—

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Sheriffs. Whereas certaine of the commons preferred petition
unto this assembly, shewing that whereas by an act of
Easter assembly last the Sherriffes of this citty for the
time being were not onely to be encouraged to maine-
Privileges, teyne the priviledges of this citty in the respective liberties
Liberties. within the county of the citty aforesaid, and to summon
County of the inhabitants within those liberties to appeare and give
Dublin. their attendanee at the quarter sessions of this citty,
but alsoe were to be indempnified and saved harmelesse
at the cittys charge from any suites at lawe or molesta-
tions whatsoever which might happen unto them by
reason of their actings in the premisses; and forasmuch
Lord as the honourable the Lord Maior of this citty had taken
Mayor. greate paines and care to see the said law putt in
execution, and to prevent the said inhabitants to appeare
Quarter at the quarter sessions of the county of Dublin, which
sessions. hath been used for some yeares past to the greate
dishonour of the citty, and in regard that if the said
Suits. Lord Maior should be molested and sued at law for his
said actings on the eittys behalfe, he ought to be
indempnified for the same at the citties charge, as the
petitioners conceived; the petitioners therefore humbly
prayed that the said Lord Maior might be, by act of this
assembly, encouraged and assisted not onely in the
Defence of preservation of the premisses, but alsoe in the defence of
city's rights. such suites at law as should happen to be commenced
against him for what he hath done or shall doe in the
defence and maineteynance of the cittys rights: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of

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the said assembly, that the petitioners request above 1670-71.
mentioned be and is hereby granted; and it is further
ordered that the citty agent have authority under the
citty seale to defend such suites or indictments as from
time to time shall be commenced or prosecuted against
the Lord Maior of the citty for his actings on the citty's
behalfe in the said petition mentioned, the same to be
done at the citty's charge, by warrant from the Lord
Maior to the treasurer, and the said assembly doth
hereby thankfully accept and approve of his Lordships
actings in the defence of the citty's rights before
mentioned, and doe hereby desire and order his Lordship
to proceed therein as his Lordship from time to time
shall be advised by Mr. Recorder and table of aldermen.

Indict-
ments.

Approval.

1670-[71.] Fourth Friday after 25 December, 1670. 1670-71.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certaine of the commons preferred
petition unto the said assembly, shewing that this citty
and kingdome for many yeares past, and untill the happy
restauration of his sacred majestie, had severely suffered
under the long continued and intollerable oppression of
fire and sword, plague, famine and pestilence, whereby
great and lamentable miseries did ensue to the persons
and estates, families and relations of the inhabitants of
this citty, and as a fatall consequence of all which, soe
little encouragement had been heretofore in time of wars
given to persons of good learneing and knowen piety,
that ignorance became the mother, nurse and hand
maide of blind and irregular devotion, and that in this
dreadfull horror and confusion had this citty laine, untill
redeemed thence by the blessed returne of our gracious
soveraigne to his rightfull crowne, and of the church to its
ancient hierarchy; in contemplation of which things the
said petitioners craved leave to observe to this assembly
that though this citty was the principall metropolis of
this kingdome, yet was it in great measure defective in

Dublin.

Restora-
tion of
Charles II.

Learning.
Piety.

Church.

Metropolis
of Ireland.

m. 16 b.

1670-71.	the first and chiefest good, which is mans well being,	Roll xv. m 16 b.
School.	there being but one schoole therein, the schoolemaster of	
Instruction of youth.	which haveing but little maintenance for instructing and educating youth either in piety to God, morallity to men, or loyalty to the crowne, which in few yeares might endanger them into yett larger and greater miseries, the consideration whereof as it had influenced the petitioners to move this assembly for redresse therein, soe were they the more encouraged thereto because his excellency the	
Viceroy. Chancellor.	lord lieutenant ¹ and his grace the lord chancellor ² of Ireland had been pleased to declare their readinesse to promote the same by giveing such addition of maine- tenance to what the citty shall thinke fit to advance	
Encourage- ment. Free school. Allowance.	for the encouragement of some able persons to repaire to this citty, and to take the care and charge of a Free schoole upon them ; and for that the present allowance now given is not in any degree valluable to the partes of an able scholemaster, nor is the present schoole house in any measure fitt for the ends and purposes aforesaid ; the petitioners therefore humby prayed this assembly that such speedy and effectuall course might be taken in the premisses as might answere the necessary ends aforesaid, which being effected would certainly tend to the glory of God, the good of his kingdome, and a perpetuall honour for this citty ; the which said premisses above mentioned being taken into the best and most serious considerations of this assembly, and for that the said assembly is abundantly satisfied that as the want of such a schoole will in few yeares induce all manner of bar- barity among them, soe the accomplishing of what is soe rationally desired not onely prevent the same, but by the blessing of God there will by that means be derived greate honour to this citty and present comfort	
School- master.	to themselves in educateing their children in religion, learneing and education: it is therefore ordered and	
Education. Children.		

¹ John Berkeley, baron of Stratton.² See page 346.

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m. 16b.

agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that ^{1670-71.} the premisses above mentioned be and are hereby referred to the Lord Maior, Sherriffes and recorder of this citty, whoe are hereby impowred and authorized from time to time to waite upon his excellency the lord lieutenant and his grace the lord chancellor,¹ and to conferr with them for the establishing and regulateing of ^{Establishment. Regulations} such a schoole as is desired, and for competent and sufficient maintenance for the better encouragement and support of one or more schoolemasters for the same, and ^{School-masters.} they are hereby impowred to consider of such maintenance as they in their discretion shall thinke fitt, to goe in perpetuall succession, and to be added to what his ^{Succession.} excellency and his grace shall cause to be settled on such schoole, in perpetuall succession; and it is hereby further ordered that when the Lord Maior, Sherriffes and recorder shall have agreed what is fitt and necessary for the citty to allow to them in succession yearly for the maintenance aforesaid, that then the Lord Maior be and is hereby desired to call an assembly for the ^{Assembly.} approveing, ratifieing and confirmeing of the same, ^{Ratification.} according to such manner as the said assembly shall in their wisdomes judge fitting.

[2.] Whereas likewise certaine of the commons preferred their petition unto the said assembly, shewing that forasmuch as divers persons altogether unknowne to any of the said assembly are observed every quarter day to present their petitions in order to obteyne their ^{Petitions.} freedome by vertue of the late act² of parliament, who ^{Franchise.} being not knowne to be quallified for their freedome, according to the said act, are for that time respited and others admitted, though not qualified as aforesaid; there- ^{Qualifications.} fore, for avoyding the inconveniencies which come thereof, and for that such persons as aforesaid may be knowne by sight though not by name: it is ordered and agreed

¹ See p. 346.

² See p. 249.

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Attend-
ance.

uppon, by authority aforesaid, that all such persons who shall petition for their freedome of this citty shall attend that day with their petitions, to the end that if any doubte arise they may be at hand to give satisfaction to the assembly concerning the same. Roll xv
m. 16 b.

Sir
Valentine
Browne.

Turner.

Arrears,
Guard-
house.
Tholsel.

Fire,
Candie-
light.

Thomas
Browne.

St.
George's
lane.

Church-
yard.

[3.] Whereas alsoe sir Valentine Browne, barronett, and Dame Jane, his wife, in the behalfe of themselves and the rest of the co-heires of alderman William Turner, deceased, preferred their petition likewise to the said assembly, thereby humbly praying that a speedy course might be prescribed for the petitioners satisfaction of the sum of foure score pounds, sterling, being foure yeares arreares of rent due to them from the citty for the guardhouse by the Thollsell, ending at Michaelmas last, and that the same might be soe settled for the future, that the petitioners be not putt to any further complaints touching the same: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by authoryty aforesaid, that the fore-said sum of four score pounds, sterling, be satisfied and paid unto the above petitioners out of the first money that comes into the treasurers hands, on the Lord Maiors warrant, and that the said Lord Maior of this citty doe forthwith call the severall persons concerned in the receipt of the mony collected for fire and candlelight to their respective accounts, and what shall be found to remaine in their hands be paid to the said treasurer in order to his reimbursement. m. 17.

[4.] That Thomas Browne of the citty of Dublin, esquire, shall have a lease of the two parcells of ground, the one scittuat in the west side of St. Georges lane, parcell of the possession of All Saints, by Dublin, and formerly called St. Georges churchyard, conteyneing in breadth, in the front from north to south, seaventy eight feete, and in length, on the south side from the streete aforesaid to the wall of the Castle yard or garden, in the west, one hundred and eighty feete, and on the north side thereof, the same conteyneing in length from the

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m. 17.

said streete unto the said wall, in the west, one hundred
seaventy one feete, and in breadth, at the west end
thereof from north to south, sixty nine feete and three
inches; the other parcell of ground is scittuate on the
east side of the said lane or streete, and formerly called
Bellmans Garden, conteyneing in length, in the front of
the streete from Checquer laue in the north to the south,
three score yards, and in breadth at the north end thereof
eight yards, and alsoe in breadth at the south end thereof
foure yards and a halfe, for the tearme of ninety nine
yeares, to commence at Easter next, the petitioner
payeing, as a fine, to the treasurer of this citty, for the
use of the said citty, the sum of sixty pounds, sterling, and
the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, to the
treasurer aforesaid, for the use aforesaid, over and above
all taxes or impositions whatsoever; the aforesaid
Thomas Browne surrendring the former lease of the
premisses made to Nicholas Steephens, alderman, de-
ceased, and that such further clauses be incerted in the
said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

Bell-man's
Garden.

Nicholas
Steephens.

[5.] That Robert Deey of the citty of Dublin, alder-
man, upon surrender of the former lease of the same
premisses, made to Sir Robert Dillon, knight, deceased,
shall have a new lease for tearme of ninety nine yeares,
to commence at Easter next, of two messuages with
appurtnances in Oxmantowne, conteyneing in length
from east to west twenty five yards and a halfe,
fronteing to Hamonds lane, and in breadth at the east
end from north to south sixteene yards and three quarters
of a yard, and in the middle sixteene yards, and in
breadth at the west end twelve yards and a quarter of a
yard, at the yearely rent of five pounds, sterling, to be
paid to the treasurer of the citty, for the use of the said
citty, the petitioner payeing alsoe as a fine to the
tresurer aforesaid, for the use aforesaid, the sum of fifty
pounds, sterling, and likewise the sum of tenn pounds,
sterling, for the use of the Hospitall, and a couple of fat

Robert
Deey.

Sir Robert
Dillon.

Oxman-
towne.

Hamonds
lane.

Hospital.

1670-71. capons, or five shillings in lieu thereof, unto the Lord Roll xv.
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Maioir of this citty, for the time being, at Christmas
yearely, at the Lord Maiors election, and that such other
clauses be incerted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder
shall thinke fitt.

Sir Daniel
Belling-
ham.

[6.] Whereas likewise sir Daniel Bellingham, knight
and baronett, preferred his petition unto this assembly,
shewing that forasmuch as he, in the yeare of his
Maioralty in this citty, did expend severall sumes of
mony which were ordered by divers acts of assembly to
be layd out in building the new staire case in the

Tholscl.

Tholsell, and other publique works, for the ornament
and honour of this citty, and whereas he, notwith-
standing his receipt of the revennue of the citty [in] the

Treasurer.

succceedeing yeare, being then treasurer, was not then m. 17 b
reimbursed the mony by him layd out as aforesaid, he
therefore humbly prayed this assembly to appoint
certaine persons to take his account as well of his dis-
bursiments aforesaid as alsoe of his receipts as treasurer,
etc., and what shall be found justly due to him to order
him payment thereof out of the fines and casualtyes,
with lawfull interest for the same from the time the
same was due till payd, and in the meane time to secure
it to him by the citty seale: it is therefore ordered and
agreed upon, by the authoryty of the said assembly,
that the petitioners request above mentioned be and is
hereby granted, and it is further ordered that the
auditors of this citty doe forthwith account with the
petitioner, and upon ending all his said accounts that the
said Sir Daniell shall have the citty seale for such sum
of mony as shall be found due to him, the same to be
paid out of the fines and casualtyes, with interest after
six per centum for the time past, and eight per centum
for the time to come, and to be paid upon the Lord
Maiors warrant after Alderman Ridgly Hatfeild is paid.

Fines,
Casualties.

City seale.

Interest.

[7.] It is further ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority aforesaid, upon the humble petition of the

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m. 17 b.

minister, churchwardens, and inhabitants of St. Cath-
rines and St. James parishes, that they the said
petitioners doe take the remainder of the lead belonging
to the citty lately digged up in the earle of Meathes
Liberties for the repaire of the said church, provided it
exceed not halfe a tun weight.

[8.] That William Devin of the citty of Dublin, baker,
upon surrender of the former lease of the premisses
made unto Walter Kenedy of the citty of Dublin,
alderman, shall have a new lease of one small thatcht
house in St. James streete, adjoyneing to Croakers lane,
lately in the holding of the assignes of Patrick
McKnowde, deceased, conteyneing in the fore front in St.
James streete, from east to west, eight yards and a halfe,
and from the kings pavement in the south to the north,
forty seaven yards and an halfe, for the tearme of ninety
nine yeares, commenceing at Easter next, at the yearly
rent of five pounds, sterling, to be paid to the treasurer of
this citty, for the use of the said citty, and that he like-
wise pay the sum of tenn pounds, sterling, for the use of
the Hospitall, and that such other covenants and clauses
be incerted in his lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[9.] That Phillipp Croft, gentleman, shall have a lease
in reversion of a parcell of ground, parte of Souters lane,
scittuate in St. Warburghes streete, Dublin, conteyneing
in length, from St. Warburghes streete in the east, west-
ward, eight and twenty yards, and in breadth from the
house lately in the possession of Alderman Sancky
Solliard, and formerly belonging to Burnell of Castle-
knock, in the north, southward, seaven yards, for the
tearme of ninety nine yeares, to commence from and after
the expiration of a former lease made of the premises to
Christopher Peyton, esquire, deceased; the petitioner
payeing the yearely rent of twenty shillings, sterling, into
the hands of the treasurer of the said citty, for the use
of the said citty, dureing the said tearme, and building
with lime, brick or stone, according to the late proclama-

1670-71.
St.
Catherine.
St. James.

Earl of
Meath.
Liberties.

Devin.

Kenedy.

Croakers
lane.

St. James'
street.

Hospital.

Croft.

Souters
lane.

St.
Werburgh's
street.

Solliard.
Burnell.
Castle-
knock.

Peyton.

1670-71. tion, and that such usuall clauses be incerted in the said Roll xv.
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lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

1671. 1671, March 27.—Laws, orders and constitutions:— m. 20.

[1.] Whereas certeine of the commons preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas heretofore the right honourable the Lord Mayor, the Sherriffes and recorder of this citty, had been impowred by act of assembly to waite upon his excellency the lord lieutenant and his grace the lord chancellor, and to conferre with them for the establishing, regulateing and mainteyning of such a Free Schoole, and of one or more schoolmasters for the same, as by the said act of assembly was desired; and whereas pursuant to the said act, the said Lord Mayor and Sherriffes and Mr. Recorder had conferred with his excellency and his grace, and thereupon made their report to this assembly, which report follows in these words, that is to say: 'Pursuant to an order of assembly of the twentieth day of January last, we, the undernamed persons, have waited on his excellency, the lord lieutenant, and some of us on his grace the lord chancellor, and have had severall conferences for the establishing, regulateing and mainteyning of such a schoole as is desired, and we doe find that his excellency and his grace are earnestly desirous of the same, and therefore his excellency hath, with the advice of his grace, condescended that some dignity or sinecures of value, when the same shall be voyd, should by his majestie be conferred on some able schoolmaster, and in the meane time, untill such vacancy, that his majestie should allow out of his revennue the yearly sune of foure score pounds to and for the present support of such able schoolmaster, and the great house in Backe Lane, commonly called the Hospital, which is now in the kings hands, be converted into a schoolehouse, of which his majesties gracious intended favours being thus farr assured, the Lord Mayor was thereby encouraged to visitt the said house, which

Lord Mayor.

Lord lieutenant. Chancellor.

Free school.

Report.

Conferences. Maintenance.

School-master.

Charles II.

Back lane. Hospital.

Visitation.

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m. 20.

is found to be a very great and a spacious dwelling, and 1671.
therefore most fitt for a schoolehouse, but we finde that
the same is very much out of repaire, and will cost foure
hundred pounds for the repaire and fitting of the same Repairs.
for a schoole, and necessary conveniences thereunto, and
we humbly conceive that the same may be raised in
proportion on the severall corporations of this citty, in Corpora-
such manner as the Lord Mayor, Sherriffs, and treasurer, tions.
and soe many of the commons, to be named by the
commons, or any seaven of them, whereof the Lord
Mayor and one of the Sherriffs to be allwayes two, shall
thinke fitt; and that the citty doe give the sune of Annual
fourescore pounds per annum, to goe in succession to grant from
answer the ends aforesaid, which may be done with very city.
little charges to the citty, for that we conceive that the Succession.
present schoolhouse will yeild thirty pounds per annum, School-
which, with the sune of twenty five pounds, now allowd house.
the schoolmaster of the said schoole, makeing fifty five
pounds, the citty will be but at an additionall charge of
twenty five pounds per annum, which additionall charge
will certainly be well recompensed by the greate honour
and advantages which will thereby redound to this citty ;
all which we humbly certify this twenty seaventh day
of March, 1671.' The names of the commons are : Commons.
Walter Harris, John Greene, John Attwood, William
Brookes, Luke Lowther, Robert Arrundell, Nathaniell
Philpott, Richard Lord, Jonathan Butterson and Thomas
Walker.

The petitioners therefore did now humbly pray, that Petition.
for the praise of God, good to this kingdome and honour
to this citty, the said report might be ratified and con- Report.
firmed : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, that the said report be
and is hereby ratified and confirmed, provided the sune Rati-
doe not exceed three hundred pounds, sterling, and that cation.
the recorder be and is hereby desired to prepare such Limitation.
instruments in writeing for the better accomplishing the

1671.

Christ
Church.

ends aforesaid as he shall thinke fitt; and it is further ordered that the deane¹ of Christ Church, who is pleased to take greate paines therein in England, be authorized, under the seale of office of this citty to manage this affaire in England, the same be by letter of attorney drawne by the recorder of this citty on behalfe of this citty.

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m. 20.

Slips.

Merchants'
Quay.
Water.

Fire.

[2.] It is allsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, on a petition of certeine of the commons, that the Lord Mayor be and is hereby impowred to make one or two small slippis on the Merchants Key, whereat the water may be more easily taken up out of the river, thereby the better to prevent the great danger of fire, if any should happen in that parte of the citty, the same to be done at the citties charge.

Sir
William.
Davys.

England.

Absence.

Offices.

[3.] It is allsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, and it is hereby granted on the petition of Sir William Davys, knight, recorder of this citty, that the petitioner have licence to repaire into England or elsewhere, for the space of six months next after the day of his departure out of this kingdome, and for soe much longer time as his distemper (under which he hath some yeares past laboured) shall necessitate his absence hence, and that his said absence shall not be any forfeiture of those offices or entertainments which he holdeth from this citty, any lawe, custome or act of assembly to the contrary notwithstanding.

Yearly
customs.
Collens
Wood.
Easter
Monday.

[4.] Whereas certeine of the commons petitioned likewise unto the said assembly, shewing that, forasmuch as the petitioners by experience had found that the yearly customes of the cittizens, marching out to Collens Wood on Easter Monday, was noe way advantageous to the citty, but occasion of great charge and prejudice to many persons, the petitioners therefore humbly

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¹ John Parry, appointed bishop of Ossory in 1672.

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prayed this assembly that the said custome might be ^{1671.} dispensed with for this year, especially in regard the exercising the citty militia, now in being, would be more ^{City militia.} decent and usefull and of lesse charge to the citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners request aforesaid be and is hereby granted, as above is desired.

[5.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by authority aforesaid, on a petition of certeine of the commons, shewing that by the long continuance of the committee ^{Committee.} appoynted by act of assembly for the affaire of the water course coming to this citty, many of the said ^{Water-course.} committee are deceased, that the persons hereunder named be added to the said committee, that is to say: sir George ^{Addition of persons.} Gilbert, sir Ffrancis Brewster, alderman John Desmyniers, alderman Lovett, William Brookes, Luke Lowther, Abell Ram and Walter Harris, and that the quorum be as formerly.

[6.] Where sir Daniel Bellingham, knight and baronett, ^{Bellingham.} alderman Josua Allen and sir Francis Brewster, on behalfe of themselves and the rest of the persons who have ^{Allen. Brewster.} lotts on St. Stephens Greene, had formerly petitioned the ^{St. Stephen's Green.} assembly of this citty, shewing that it would be necessary, as well for the beauty of the said Greene, as alsoe for the use of the inhabitants and proprietors of the said lotts, to bring the water round the said Greene, which ^{Water.} could not be done otherwise then from the waste water running to the pipes of this citty, they did ^{Pipes. =} therefore humbly pray an order of this assembly, whereby some persons might be appoynted to consider of the said worke and to reporte what they conceived therein, and the same being referred to the committee of the water, the said committee made their reporte thereof to this assembly, whereupon the said ^{Report.} petitioners prayed a confirmation of the said report by act of this assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the

1671.
Licence.

Limita-
tions.

Earl of
Meath's
Liberty.

Repairs.

Stream.

Overplus

said petitioners have licence to bring the said water to St. Stephens Greene, according to the limitations in the said report mentioned, and not otherwise, that is to say : First, that noe diminution at any time be of the water that usually hath or ought to come to this citty to the earle of Meaths liberty, and other partes in and neere the citty that have in former times been supplied therewith, and that in case of want of water, that the citty be presently supplied by the water turned, or to be turned, towards the petitioners lotts. Secondly, that the petitioners be at a proportionable charge of repaireing the watercourse from the head of the water streame that comes to the citty unto the place from which the petitioners desire to have the water issue to them out of the said streame. Thirdly, that the leave given to the petitioners shall extend to the supply of all the lotts upon St. Stephens Greene, and houses by the way before the water comes to the said Greene, and that such water as may proceed further, after the said houses, inhabitants and owners of the said lotts and places aforesaid be supplied with competent water, the citty shall have the disposing of the overplus of such water, as shall from thence be and happen. Fourthly, that deeds indented and security, as the recorder shall advise, for the true performance on the petitioners parte, be sealed and perfected, etc.

Roll xv.
m. 20 b.

1671. Second Friday after Easter.¹

m. 18.

Laws, orders and constitutions :—

[1.] Whereas certeine of the comons preferred their petition unto this assembly, shewing that forasmuch as the Greene in Oxmantowne, preserved for a walk for the cittizens and place to exercise the militia or other forces (if occasion should be), by reason of its lying open, would become a very greate annoyance to the inhabitants of

Oxman-
towne
Green.
Walk.
Militia.

¹ Easter day, 23 April, 1671.

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in. 18.

this citty, but if otherwise the same were walled in and kept in decent order would be very advantageous and fitt for the ends aforesaid, the petitioners therefore prayed an order of this assembly for the incloseing and preserveing the said Greene in such manner as the assembly should thinke fitt: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs, calling such to their assistance as his Lordshipp shall thinke fitt, doe take effectuall care and employ workemen for the compleating the said worke in such manner as they shall thinke convenient, and that the charge thereof be borne by the treasurer of this citty, provided it exceed not the sume of fifty pounds, sterling, and the Lord Mayors warrant shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer to have the said sume allowd on his account.

1671.
Wall.
Order.

Enclosure.
Preservation.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certeine of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that whereas all persons who become free of this citty are bound not onely by act of assembly, but alsoe by their respective oathes administered to them upon their admittance to the freedome of this citty, to cause all their apprentices to be enrolled in the Thollsell of this citty within the first yeare of their time of apprenticeship, and that through the distempers and distractions of the times for these many yeares past, little or no regard hath bin had in the premisses, whereby the good rule and order in the citty touching the same hath bin much neglected, which leades greatly to the prejudice of the citty; the petitioners further sett forth in their said petition that there are many persons freemen of this citty of these late yeares who being of the Popish religion doe enterteine Papist servants and apprentices, and bring them up in the Popish religion, contrary to the antient goodlawes of this citty, and to the great discouragement of the Protestant inhabitants and other Protestants; the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that an order might be taken in this assembly

Franchise.
Oaths.
Admission.
Apprentices.
Thollsell.

Roman
Catholies.
Religion.
Laws.
Protestants.

1671. for the renewing the antient lawes and good customes of Roll. xv. m. 18.
 this citty for enrolling apprentices, and that the clerke
 Rolls. of the Thollsell might prepare rolls for that purpose, and
 record apprentices as was usuall in former times, and
 that for prevention of all such who might hereafter
 Servants. reteine Papist servants and apprentices, the petitioners
 Appren- humbly prayed that some course might be taken in this
 tices. assembly that all persons concerned might strictly observe
 the said antient good lawes ; that for the future noe such
 Exclusion of Roman Catholics. of the Popish religion admitted to the freedome of this
 citty: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
 authority of the said assembly, that the antient lawes of
 this citty concerning apprentices, above mentioned, be
 and are hereby revived and made publike, and that the
 Execution. same be forthwith putt in execution.
- [3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by authority
 of the said assembly, that the right honourable Francis,
 Anngier, lord Aungier, baron of Longford, on surrender of his
 baron of former lease, shall have a fee-farme to him and his heires
 White for ever of the two stone gates neere his house of White
 Friars. Fryers, and the towers and buildings over and on each
 side of the same, that is to say, the north east gate
 St. Stephen's street. leading to St. Stephen's street, conteining in length
 crosse the street eight and thirty foote, and in breadth
 nine foote and the southwest gate, leading to St.
 St. Kevin's street. Keavans street, conteining in length crosse the street
 three and thirty foote and an halfe, and fiteene foote
 Warren. within Mr. Warrens stable, in all in length eight and
 fourty foote and an halfe and in breadth six foote and
 nine inches, scituate, lying and being in or neere the
 house or circuite of White Fryers, in the suburbs of the
 citty of Dublin, and likewise that parcell of the narrow
 lane or peece of ground lyeing by the inclosures of the
 Love lane. White Fryers, called Love lane, conteining in length from
 St. Keavans to St. Stephens two hundred yards, and in
 breadth six yards, or thereabout, the petitioner his

Roll. xv. heires and assignes yeilding and paying to the treasurer of 1671.
m. 18. the citty for the use of the citty the yearly rent of five

m. 18 b. pounds, sterling, over and above all taxes, etc., and under the conditions, covenants, immunities and priviledges reserved unto the citty in the said former lease, provided that the interest of the southwest gate, formerly conveyed to Mr. Patrick Tallant by the citty, be excepted and reserved out of the said grant, and that such other clauses and covenants be incerted in the deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. Tallant.

[4.] That the minister, churchwardens and parishoners of the parish of St. Andrewes, in the county of this citty, shall have a fee farme to them and their successors for ever of that parcell of ground whereon St. Andrewes church is now built, scituate, lying and being in or neer Hoggen Greene, and commonly called the Old Bowling Alley, conteining in length from north to south, at the west side fronting to the pavement, one hundred, fifty six foote, and in breadth, at the end towards Checquer lane from the said pavement in the west, along the wall towards the old trench, one hundred and eleaven foote; in length from thence towards Sir Henry Tichburns holding, one hundred, seaventy nine foote; in breadth, at the end next the Mount, from the said pavement towards the old trench, one hundred and six foote; and alsoe two other parcells of wast ground adjoyning to the aforesaid parcell of ground, called the Bowleing Alley, part of which said overplus of ground lyeth betweene the Bowleing Alley and the bottome of the old trench, and conteineth in breadth, at the end towards Checquer Lane, from the middle of the old trench in the east, westward, sixty two foote; in length, along the middle of the said trench, one hundred seaventy two foote, and in breadth at the other end from the middle of the said trench, in the east, westwards, fifty foote; the other parte of the said overplus of ground lyeth betwixt the Mount, ou the north, and the former ground called the Bowling Alley.

Parish of
St. Andrew.

Church.

Hoggen
Green.

Old
Bowling
alley.

Checquer
lane.

Trench.

Tichburn.

Mount.

1671. on the south, and contains in breadth, at the east end next the old trench, twenty-seaven foote, and in breadth, at the west end next the pavement, from the said Bowling Alley towards the Mount, eleven foote and an halfe; the petitioners surrendring up unto the citty the lease made by the said citty to the lord bishopp of Meath,¹ and by him assigned to the petitioners, and paying the arreares of rent due thereout to this citty and reserved by the said lease, and at the yearly rent of three shillings, foure pence to the langable; and that the petitioners be bound to allow and keepe a convenient large seate in the said church from time to time for the Lord Mayor, Sheriffes, aldermen and other cittizens attending the sword, to sit in as oft as they shall thinke fitt for ever, and that if the petitioners convert the ground to any other use than for a church, churchyard, or house for the ministers, or such like, that then the petitioners shall pay five shillings per annum for every foote of ground they shall soe convert or dispose of, or give the citty all advantage they shall make of the ground, and that such other clauses be in-certed in the said deed as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.
- [5.] That the treasurer of this citty doe forthwith pay unto Alderman Josua Allen the sume of twenty six pounds, sterling, for one tunn of French wine, spent on the twenty ninth day of May last, 1670, being the day of his majesties birth and restauration, according to the custome, and that the Lord Mayors warrant to the treasurer for payment thereof shall be sufficient to have the same allowed on his account.
- [6.] That Josua Allen, alderman, surrendring up unto the citty the former lease of the premisses hereafter mentioned made to William Kirby, and paying the sume of tenn pounds, sterling, for the use of the Hospitall, shall have a new lease for tearme of ninety nine years, to commence from Easter last, of a parcell of ground neer
- Roll xv.
m. 18 b.
- Bishop of Meath.
- Seat for Lord Mayor, etc.
- Restriction.
- Penalty.
- Allen.
French wine.
Anniver-sary.
- Allen.
Kirby.
Hospital.

¹ See p. 215.

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m. 18 b.

the Long Stone on Lazy Hill, now built on, conteining in 1671.
length, in the front from the house now in possession of Long stone.
Mr. Thomas Crosse in the east, westward, ninety foure Lazy Hill.
yards and an halfe, and in breadth from north to south, Crosse.
at the east end, sixty yards and an halfe, and in breadth
at the west end thirty five foote, at the yearly rent of
six pounds, sterling, to the treasurer of the citty, for the
use of the citty, and that such other clauses be incerted
in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[7.] That William Williams, brewer, on surrender of a Williams,
former lease of the premisses hereafter mentioned, made brewer.
by this citty unto Henry, lord bishop of Meath, shall Bishop of
have a new lease of a plott of ground scituate on Hoggen Meath.
Greene, conteyning from the end of Trinity Hall to the Hoggen
bricke chimney, belonging to John Sams house, from Green.
north to south, two hundred and foure foote, and from Trinity
the east to the west end, adjoyning to Tirrells Parke, hall.
two hundred, ninety foure foote, at the east end from
north to south one hundred and eight foote, and from
east to west, adjoyning to Trinity Hall, aforesaid, two
hundred and one foote, for the tearme of ninety nine
yeares, to commence from Easter last, at the yearly rent of
eight pounds, sterling, to the treasurer of the citty, for
the use of the citty, and a couple of fat capons to the
Lord Mayor, for the time being, at Christmas yearly, or
five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, at the election of
the said Lord Mayor, and that the petitioner have the
same without the reservation of the Mount or ground Mount.
for a prospect, reserveing thirty foote for the highwayes, Prospect.
being the same quantity of ground as was reserved in Reserva-
tion.
the said former lease, and that such other clauses be in-
certed in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt.

[8.] Whereas William Hanaway petitioned unto this Hanaway.
assembly, shewing that the said petitioner had been, by
the favour of this citty, elected and chosen to the place
of one of the attornyes of the Thollsell court, but that
haveing other concernes, which he is obliged to looke Attorney
Thollsel
court.

m. 19.

1671. after, and fearing that by that means he should not be able to attend that employment, he therefore humbly prayed the favour and licence of this assembly to surrender that employment, and that Mr. Hugh Kelly, a person well skilled and knowing in clerkship, haveing had his education that way, might be allowed by this assembly to be sworne in the petitioners steade, and that the Lord Mayor and Sherriffes might be desired to give the said Kelly the usuall oath of attorney, admitted as aforesaid, he produceing the petitioners surrender: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said petitioners request be and is hereby granted. Roll xv.
m. 19.
- Kelly.
- Oath.
- William Harvy.
- St. Stephen's Green.
- Expenditure.
- Brewster. Allen.
- Carrig, Doyle, beaddles.
- Salary.
- [9.] Whereas likewise William Harvy petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that whereas he had bin employed by the Lord Mayor of this citty, in the yeare 1666, in plowing up and levelling St. Stephens Greene, which was ordered to be done by act of assembly, in which worke the petitioner had expended out of his purse the sune of twenty eight pounds, fourteen shillings, six pence, sterling, he therefore humbly prayed that some course might be taken by this assembly for his speedy satisfaction: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that it be and is hereby referred to the Lord Mayor and Sherriffes, sir Francis Brewster and alderman Alien, to adjust what is due to the petitioner, and the same, so adjusted, to be paid to the petitioner on the Lord Mayors warrant to the treasurer.
- [10.] Whereas alsoe Daniel Carrigg and James Doyle, the city, beaddles, preferred petition unto this assembly, praying, in consideration that they are growne aged, and their sallary hitherto but small, that the citty would allow them some augmentation of their yearly sallary, for the better maintenance of themselves and family: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners shall have the

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m 19.

sume of foure pounds, sterling, per annum, le peece, from ^{1671.} Easter last, for their sallery, to be paid them quarterly ^{Grant.} by the treasurer of the citty on the Lord Mayors warrant, and twenty shilling le peece at Christmas yearly, for their livery, the same to be paid them dureing their continuance in that employment.

[11.] Whereas alsoe John Savage, carpenter, preferred ^{Savage, carpenter.} petition unto this assembly, therein setting forth that the petitioner, by order of the Lord Mayor of this citty, and for the necessary use of this citty, did make and sett up eight paire of gates at the slipps on the Merchants Key, ^{Gates. Slips. Merchants Quay.} the charge whereof did amount to the sume of twenty eight pounds, seaventeen shillings, six pence; and allsoe the dorecase and dore at the foote of the great staires in the Thollsell, for the security of the records there, ^{Thollsell. Records.} the charge whereof came to two pounds seaventeen shillings, tenne pence, as by the particular bills annexed to the said petition did appeare, amounting in the totall to thirty one pounds, fifteene shillings, foure pence; he therefore humbly prayed an order of this assembly for the speedy payment of the said sume: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners account, being adjusted by the Lord Mayor and Sherriffes, the money be forthwith paid to the petitioner by the Lord Mayors warrant to the treasurer.

[12.] Whereas allsoe Margaret Barton, widdow, pre- ^{Barton.}ferred petition unto this assembly, praying the said assembly, in consideration of her necessitous condition, to take some course for payment of one and twenty pounds, sterling, due to her late husband, Henry Barton, for furnishing the horse guards of this citty with stables, ^{Horse guards.} fire and candles about the yeare 1662: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said sume of one and twenty pounds, sterling, be applotted and levyed for provision of fire ^{Applotment.} and candle for the guards, the said money soe applotted

1671. and collected to be paid the petitioner for her satisfaction. Roll xv.
m. 19.

Jones. [13.] Whereas alsoe John Jones, a member of sir
Sir John Stephens his company of foote, in his majesties
Stephens. regiment of guards in this citty, preferred petition unto
the said assembly, shewing that the petitioner had been
indicted this last quarter sessions, held before the right
honourable the Lord Mayor of the said citty and other m. 19 b.
his majesties justices of the peace for the county of the
said citty, for offering some abuse to one Thomas Whit-
feild, a constable, for which his contempt the court did
fine the petitioner in the sume of twenty markes, and
forasmuch as the said petitioner, by reason of his poverty,
is altogether incapable of paying the said fine or any
parte thereof, he therefore humbly prayed this assembly
to commiserate his condition by remitting his said fine
or reduceed of it to some small sume: it is therefore
ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said
assembly, that the consideration of the said petition be
Reference. referred to the Lord Mayor and recorder and the rest of
his majesties justices of peace for the county of this
citty, or any three of them, whereof the Lord Mayor to
be one, who are desired to doe therein for the petitioners
releife as they shall thinke fitt.

Lord [14.] John Totty, alderman, is chosen and elected Lord
Mayor. Mayor of the said citty for the next ensueing yeare.

Sheriffs. [15.] Mr. Henry Reynolds and Mr. Gilbert Eccles are
chosen and elected Sheriffs of the said citty for the said
yeare.

Franchise. Admissions to franchise. m. 15 b.

1671. May 31. Law, order and constitution :— m. 20 b.

[1.] Whereas, by a late act¹ of assembly, it was ordered,
for the reasons and motives then offered, that the
meeting at Cullens Wood on Blacke Monday next by the
cittizens of this city should be for the present foreborne ;

Cullens-
Wood.
Black
Monday.

¹ See page 524.

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m. 20 b.

but whereas since that time his excellency the lord 1671.
lieutenant hath been pleased to signify his will and
pleasure that the cittizens of this citty should, according
to the antient custome, appeare in armes on the said
day: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of the said assembly, upon petition of certeine
of the commons, in obedience to his excellencyes desires,
that the cittizens doe appeare in armes on Blacke
Monday next, according to their antient custome, any
act of assembly to the contrary notwithstanding, and
whereas there hath been a petition preferred to his
excellency concerning that affaire, in which petition
there are many untruths incerted against the person of
the honourable the Lord Mayor and the said assembly :
it is therefore ordered the said Lord Mayor is hereby
desired to see an effectuall redresse therein to be given
to his lordshipp and the said assembly.

Ancient
custom.

m. 18.

m. 19 b.

1671. June 16. Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certeine of the commons preferred peti-
tion unto this assembly, shewing that whereas by act of
assembly of the 27th of March last, there was a sume of
money ordered to be raised in proportion on the severall
corporations of this citty, not exceeding the sume of
three hundred pounds, sterling, for the repaire of the
School house, and the petitioners, haveing assurance not
onely of an able schoolmaster, but allsoe of his majesties
gratious concession of an yearly maintenance to be
allowed to him out of the exchequer, for his encourage-
ment in that employment, the premisses considered, and
for that the first payment to be received by his majesties
gratious concession, as aforesaid, would be due on the
first day of August next, soe that noething would hinder
the present benefitt of what was thereby intended but
the want of the repaire of the schoolehouse and provision
to be made for the poor therein ; the petitioners there-
fore humbly prayed that an order might be made in this

School-
house.

School-
master.

Charles II.

Repair.

1671. assembly for the repaire of the Schoolhouse, and for the Roll. xv.
 Poor. maintenance of the said poor and aged now there, in m. 19 b.
 Aged. in such manner as they should thinke fitt: it is therefore
 ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said
 assembly, that the summe of three hundred pounds, ster-
 ling, formerly allowed for the ends in the petition men-
 tioned, be forthwith applotted on the severall corporations
 and collected after the usuall manner, in such order as
 the committee formerly appoynted, or the quorum of
 them, shall thinke fitt, and that they doe appoynt col-
 lectors and overseers of the said worke, and issue
 warrants for collecting thereof, to the end the said house
 may be speedily compleated; and it is further ordered
 and agreed upon, by the authority aforesaid, that the
 said committee, or the quorum of them, doe take care and
 provide for the poor now in the said house, as they shall
 see convenient and fitt to be done, by placing them in
 the respective parishes or otherwise.
- [2.] It is allsoe ordèred and agreed upon, by the
 authority of the said assembly, that Richard Lord, gold-
 smith, be and is hereby admitted reader of the bills in
 the house of commons¹ dureing the pleasure of the citty,
 under such conditions and perquisits as John Ennos
 formerly enjoyed the same (that is to say), that the peti-
 tioner shall have twelve pence, sterling, out of every
 freemans bill that is granted of the liberties of this citty,
 upon graces especiall, and twelve pence, sterling, for
 every lease that shall be granted to any by this citty.

1671. Fourth Friday after 24th June.

m. 21.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

[1.] Whereas certeine of the commons preferred a
 petition unto this assembly, shewing that next the duty
 they owe as men and Christians unto God, they owne
 and professe themselves engaged to pay all imaginable
 duty, loyalty and observance to his royall majestie,

¹ Of the city council.

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m. 21

Charles the second, their rightfull king and soveraigne, ^{1671.}
 and in order thereto they apprehend it incumbent on ^{Charles II}
 them strictly to adhere to his majesties crowne and
 dignity, being not onely obliged thereto by the lawes of
 God and nature, but also by gratitude and obligation, ^{Gratitude.}
 his majestie, since his happy restauration, haveing made
 them the subjects of soe much grace and royall bounty, ^{Royal bounty.}
 pursuant whereto they have high honour and affection,
 and doe and will pay all loyall observance and
 obedience unto the authority by his majestie, sett over
 them, thereby declareing and professing, as well for
 themselves as the whole body of this loyall and antient <sup>Ancient corpora-
tion.</sup>
 corporation, whose representatives the commons are,
 that they doe utterly detest and abhorre all tumults,
 mutinies, riotts, conspiracies, insurrections, or whatever
 might tend to the disturbance of the publique peace <sup>Disturb-
ance of
public
peace.</sup>
 against his majesties crowne or dignity; likewise pro-
 fessing and declareing that they are soe farr from
 countenanceing anything that might tend to the dis-
 turbance of the publique peace, that they are and ever
 would be ready to serve his majestie and the govern-
 ment placed over them, under him, with their lives and
 fortunes, against all conspirators at home or powers <sup>Conspira-
tors.</sup>
 abroad whatever; and forasmuch as of late there had
 arisen very unhappy and tumultuous assemblies, by <sup>Tumul-
tuous
assemblies.</sup>
 reason of some misapprehensions of some of the appren-
 tices of this citty, the onely cause whereof, as believed,
 was the building the new bridge against the generall ^{New bridge.}
 sense of this citty, which had occasioned very great
 evils, to the petitioners great grieve and sadnesse of
 heart, the like whereof had never hapened here be-
 fore, nor could enter into the thoughts of any member
 thereof, that any of their apprentices should be guilty <sup>Appren-
tices.</sup>
 of such disorders and misdemeanors; and therefore they
 resolved in the future to take such care and diligence in
 their severall stations and families, soe to order and <sup>Stations.
Families.</sup>
 bridle such the apprentices licentious and unruly actions,

1671. that noething of the like nature might thereafter happen; Roll xv.
w. 21.
 Lords in consideration whereof the petitioners prayed that a
 justices. rule might be laid downe in this assembly that the lords
 Council. justices and counsell might be informed of this the peti-
 tioners resolution and sincere profession, and that the
 same might be entred upon record by the clerke of the
 Tholsel. Thollsell: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
 the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners
 Recorder. request be and is hereby granted, and that Mr. Recorder
 Lord be desired to attend the Lord Mayor, Sherriffs and com-
 Mayor. mons of this citty, and that they all waite on their lord-
 Sheriffs. ships the lords justices and counsell this afternoone, to
 Commons. represent to their lordships their dislike and disaffection
 to the tumults, etc., above mentioned.

[2.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the
 authority of the said assembly, on petition of certeine of
 the commons, that the perquisites priviledges and advan-
 tages claimed to belong to the Sheriffes of this citty be
 taken into consideration by the committee hereafter
 named, which said committee are desired and impowred
 to report their conceptions therein to the next assembly,
 and that, if it be found convenient by the said commit-
 tee, the Lord Mayor is desired to call an assembly to
 consider of the said report; and it is further ordered
 that whatever else shall be presented to the said commit-
 tee as a grievance be taken into consideration by the said
 committee or the quorum of them, and that any [of the]
 aldermen or commons be admitted to heare the debates and
 reasons offered for or against such pretended grievances,
 provided the said report, to be made as aforesaid, be
 concluded on and perfected within a month after the
 date hereof. The names of the committee are: the Lord
 Mayor, the Sherriffs, Alderman Tighe, Alderman Huchin-
 son, Alderman Quine, Alderman Totty, Alderman Allen,
 and six of the commons named by the commons, viz.:
 John Price, William Harris, Luke Lowther, Symon
 Carricke, George Stoughton, Henry Reynolds, or any

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m. 21. five of them, whereof the Lord Mayor and one of the 1671.
Sherriffes to be always two.

m. 21 b. [3.] That Thomas Jones, alderman, shall have a lease of the inappropriate tithes or tenths belonging to this citty, comeing, growing or arising within the rectory of Rathdrum, in the county of Wicklow, for tearme of one and twenty years, to commence from May day last, at the yearly rent of thirty pounds, sterling, and a couple of fatt capons to the Lord Mayor of this citty, for the time being, at Christmas yearly, or five shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, and that such other clauses be incerted in these lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke fitt. Thomas Jones, Rathdrum.

[4.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, on the petition of Henry Martin, senior, one of the attorneys of the Thollsell court, that Edmund Bray, gentleman, be and is hereby admitted an attorney in said court in the place and stead of the said Henry Martin, senior, provided he be first approved by the Lord Mayor and Mr. Recorder and admitted and sworne a freeman of this citty, and produce a certificate of such his approbation and admission. Martin. Tholsel court. Bray. Attorney. Freedom of city.

[5.] That Francis Hamilton, gentleman, be and is hereby admitted one of the attorneys of the Thollsell court of this citty, any act, law or custome of the said citty to the contrary notwithstanding, provided he be first approved of by the Lord Mayor and Mr. Recorder, and produce a certificate of such his approbation. Hamilton. Attorney. Tholsel court.

m. 23. Admissions to franchise.

m. 21 b. 1671. July 24.

[1.] Whereas certeine of the commons preferred a petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas there have bin many disorders committed of late among severall of the apprentices, journeymen and others of this citty tumultuously assembling themselves together against the peace of God and the king, and the publique Disorders. Apprentices. Journeymen.

1671.
New
Bridge.

Punish-
ment.

Tumults.

Uproars.

Lords
justices.

Sir Arthur
Forbes.

Declara-
tion.

peace and government of this citty, under the pretence of pulling downe the new bridge, the said commons did therefore humbly pray this assembly to lay downe some speedy course for the due punishment of those disorders already committed, as alsoe for the prevention of the like or any other for the time to come; this assembly, therefore, having taken the premisses into their serious consideration, cannot but with great horroure and confusion call to minde the late disorderly and unhappy tumults which have been of late most barbarously committed by the persons above mentioned, to the extreame horroure of his majesties liege subjects who were in the kings peace, and very great dishonour to the government and governors of this citty, all which is much enlarged and aggravated by those uproares of the like nature acted yesterday, notwithstanding the great indulgencies heretofore of the most honorable the lords justices to this citty on a former occasion, and which late villainy was rendred more horrible by that most impudent carriage given to the person of the most honourable sir Arthur Forbes,¹ who now hath the deserved honour to be one of the lords justices of this kingdome, by some villainous persons then and there present, in the greatest contempt not onely of this citty, but to the lawes and statutes of the land, and exceedingly to the dishonour of Almighty God, in soe foule and ugly an offence on the Lords day; and whereas the late detestable actings of those offenders, who (haveing taken upon them that impardonable impudence of pulling downe the new bridge, being, as is alleaged, in erection by and according to the lawes of the land) are become a severe reflection upon the cittizens of this citty, who have soe lately expressed their abhorrence and detestation of such barbarous and unhappy tumults: it is therefore againe declared by this assembly, and by and with their joynt

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¹ Created earl of Granard in 1684.

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and unanimous advice and consent, that they doe, from 1671.
 their very hearts and soules, utterly detest and abhorre
 these late barbarous and rebellious actings of the afore-
 said persons, and of all and every of the divers abettors,
 fomenters, and assistants of them; and in a further
 declaration of such our abhorrence, it is therefore further
 ordered, and it is hereby further declared, ordered and
 agreed upon, that all and every the late offenders who Offenders.
 have been actors, ayders, abettors, fomenters and coun-
 tenancers of those late vile and most barbarous actings
 in endeavouring to pull downe the said new bridge, be
 from henceforth and for ever utterly disfranchised from Disfranchisement.
 the freedome of this citty or the expectation thereof, any
 act or law of this citty to the contrary notwithstanding;
 and in further manifestation of our utter abhorrence of
 the aforesaid villainous attempts, we doe declare our
 readinesse to stand by, mainteine, abett and assist the
 magistrates of this citty upon all occasions, and it is Magis-
trates.
 desired that the constables and all others who have Constables.
 received any money for carrying on the said worke be
 brought to a speedy account, and that such constables
 and others who have failed in their duties therein be
 brought to condigne punishment, and that this order be Order.
 forthwith printed and published by fixing the same on
 the severall gates of this citty; and lastly, as this citty Gates of
city.
 hath received more and more ample favours from his
 most sacred majestie than from any of his majesties most
 royall predecessors, soe we doe againe and againe declare
 from the very bottome and in the greatest sincerity of
 our hearts, that we will never be wanting with the
 hazard of our lives and fortunes in the returne of our
 greatest loyalty to his most sacred majestie and most Loyalty.
 humble duty to such governors as his majestie in his Governors
 high wisdom shall thinke fitt to place over us.

[2.] Whereas alsoe certain of the commons petitioned
 unto this assembly, shewing that, by the blessing of God,
 the Hospitall, appoynted by this honourable citty to be

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Hospital on
Oxman-
towne.
Green.

Account.

Building.

Subscrip-
tions.

Printing.

Attendants.

Lord
Mayor.
Sheriffs.

Livery.

built on Oxmantowne Greene, was come to a very great forwardnesse by the ready and chearful contributions of many charitable persons, especially the cittizens of this citty, and forasmuch as it was very necessary that a satisfactory account should be given to all persons how much is subscribed and paid, and by whome, as well for the building and finishing the said worke, as allsoe what is received and disbursed, for what, and to whom, and what remained yet unreceived of the subscriptions, etc., which cannot soe effectually be done unlesse the account were printed and disposed to the severall benefactors, and forasmuch as this kind of satisfaction would not only justifie the care and honesty of the trustees appoynted for carryeing on that worke, but alsoe be a motive and encouragement for others to assist in carrying on the said worke, the petitioners therefore humbly prayed that the trustees might be ordered by act of this assembly to cause the said account to be forthwith printed, and coppies thereof to be distributed amongst the benefactors, etc.: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the petitioners request above mentioned be and is hereby granted.

[3.] It is alsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, on a petition of certein of the commons, that the Lord Mayor and Sherriffs, for the time being, be and are hereby impowred from time to time to appoynt such persons as they shall thinke fitt, not exceeding six in number, to attend the persons of the Lord Mayor and Sherriffs, for the time being, in the yeare of their respective offices, and that the said persons for such their service shall have the sume of eight pounds, sterling, le man, per annum, to be paid them quarterly by the treasurer of this citty on the Lord Mayors warrant, and that there be alsoe allowed them fourty shillings le peece, for their livery of coates, hatts, stockings and shooes, yearly, to be paid as aforesaid, the same to be continued dureing the pleasure of the citty;

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and it is further ordered, by the authority of the said ^{1671.} assembly, that the liveryes soe to be allowed them for this next yeare be presently bought at the citties charge, by the Lord Mayors warrant to the treasurer, and afterwards to be given them at Michaelmas, yearly.

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[4.] That Haustin Cubpaige, gentleman, be and is Cubpaige, hereby admitted one of the attorneys of the Thollsell ^{Attorney.} court of this citty, he first produceing a certificate of his ^{Tholsel court.} being sworne a freeman of this citty, any act, law, or custome of the said citty to the contrary, notwithstanding

1671. August 23.

Whereas certeine of the commons preferred their petition unto this assembly, shewing that whereas the great house, commonly called the Hospitall, situate in Back ^{Hospital.} Lane, had been proposed for a convenient place for the ^{Back Lane.} erecting and fitting a schoolhouse for the Free School of ^{Free school.} this citty, but forasmuch as the minister, churchwardens and parishioners of Saint Andrews parish had made a proposall to give and grant unto the citty the parcell of ground called St. Andrews Churchyard, situate in ^{St. Andrew's church-yard.} Dame street, for the ends aforesaid, the petitioners, therefore, did humbly pray some order might be laid downe in this assembly for a conference to be had with the said parishioners about the premisses, to the end the said schoolhouse might be speedily compleated: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the committee appoynted by act ^{Committee.} of assembly to view and consider of repaireing or new ^{Repairs.} erecting the new schoolhouse, or the quorum of them, be and are hereby impowred and desired forthwith to treat with the said parishioners, and to accept of the said grant, if they, with the advice of Mr. Recorder, shall thinke fitt, and in such order as Mr. Recorder shall advise.

66.

1671. Third Friday after 29 September.

Lord Mayor: John Totty; Sheriffs: Henry Reynolds ^{Lord Mayor.} and Nathaniel Philpott. ^{Sheriffs.}

1671. [1.] Enoch Reader, alderman, is chosen and elected Roll. xv.
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yeare.

Masters
of works. [2.] Mr. Richard Hanaway and Mr. Isaack John are
chosen masters of the citty workes for the said yeare.

Auditors. [3.] The Lord Mayor, Sherriffs, all the aldermen, Mr.
Thomas Hookes, Mr. Richard Lord, Mr. John Sargeant,
Mr. John Smith, Mr. John Dutton, and Mr. George
Stoughton, or any six of them, whereof the Lord Mayor
and one of the Sherriffs to be alwayes two, are chosen
auditors of the citty accounts for the said yeare.

Lord
lieutenant. [4.] Whereas certeine of the commons petitioned unto
the lord lieutenant of this kingdome had, by his lordships
Lord
Mayor. letters, recommended unto the Lord Mayor of this citty
the takeing effectuall course for the provision of fireing
Guards. and candles for the guardes of this citty, as heretofore,
the petitioners therefore humbly prayed this assembly
that such course might be taken in the premisses as had
been usuall: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
the authority of the said assembly, that the summe of
Applot- one hundred pounds, sterling, be forthwith applotted and
ment. levied on the inhabitants of this citty and suburbs, as
hath been usuall, the same to be done in such manner as
the Lord Mayor and Sherriffs shall appoint, and that the
Lord Mayor and Sherriffs doe yssue their warrants to
such persons as they shall think fitt for applotting,
Assessment assessing and collecting thereof accordingly, and that the
money be paid to such person or persons as his Lordship
shall appointe to defray the charges above mentioned;
Collectors. and it is further ordered that the Lord Mayor be desired
to call the collectors of the former assessment for the
last yeare to a speedy account, before the auditors of
this citty, of what was collected and paid for defraying
the charge aforesaid.

[5.] It is ordered and agreed upon, by authority of
the said assembly, on a petition of certeine of the com-

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mons, that the present Lord Mayor be allowed the sune
of five hundred pounds, sterling, for the better support
of the office of Mayoralty, the same to be paid quarterly
by the treasurer of the citty, on his Lordships warrant,
to such person or persons as his Lordshipp shall appointe
for his use, and that the said Lord Mayors warrant to the
treasurer shall be sufficient to have the said sune of five
hundred pounds allowed on his account

1671.
Lord
Mayor.
Allowance
Payment.

[6.] Whereas allsoe certeine of the commons preferred
petition unto this assembly, shewing that whereas the
wayes leading to St. Stephens Greene are soe foule and
out of repaire that persons cannot passe to the said
Greene for the benefit of the walkes there, and forasmuch
as his excellency the lord lieutenant had taken notice
thereof and laid his commands on the Lord Mayor to see
the way leading from the Hoggen Greene to St. Stephens
Greene forthwith amended and made passable, the peti-
tioners therefore humbly prayed that a speedy course
might be taken in the said assembly for amending the
said highway: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon,
by the authority of the said assembly, that the said way
be amended, soe that the charges thereof doe not exceed
the summe of fifty pounds, which is to be paid by the
treasurer of the citty, for the use aforesaid, to Mr.
William Story, who is to disburse the same in such
manner as the Lord Mayor shall direct, and that the
Lord Mayors warrant and the said Storyes acquittance
shall be a sufficient discharge to the treasurer for the
same.

St.
Stephen's
Green.
Walks.
Hoggen
green.
Amend-
ment.
Highway.
Expendi-
ture.
William
Story.

[7.] Forasmuch as the six halberteers, formerly enter-
teined to attend the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs, dureing
the pleasure of the citty, at tenne pounds per annum le
peece, are not found so usefull as was expected: it is
therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority
aforesaid, on a petition of certeine of the commons, that
as many of the said halberteers as the Lord Mayor and
Sheriffs shall thinke fitt to be officers at mace, shall be

Halber-
teers.
Attendants.
Lord
Mayor.
Sheriffs.
Officers
at mace.

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Discharge.	sits to the said place belonging, dureing the pleasure of the citty, they giving good security to save the citty harmelesse, etc., and that they be all henceforth discharged from the said place of bearing halberts, and to have their salary for the time past.	
Belling- ham.	[8.] Whereas allsoe sir Daniell Bellingham, knight	m. 28.
Brewster.	and baronet, sir Francis Brewster, knight, and alderman	
Allen.	Josua Allen, on behalfe of themselves and the rest of the	
St. Stephen's Green.	persons who have lotts on Saint Stephens Greene, preferred petition unto the said assembly, shewing that whereas this citty was pleased, by act of assembly of 27 March last, to grant unto the petitioners licence to	
Water.	bring the waste water, running from the water course to the respective lotts of St. Stephens Greene and places	
Limitation.	adjacent; but forasmuch as there was noe tearme of yeares mentioned in the said former grant, the petitioners	
Licence.	therefore humbly prayed that the said lycence might be granted to them and their assignes for tearme of one hundred and ninety nine yeares, under the same con-	
Post assembly.	ditions as formerly, and that their grant may be sealed the next post assembly: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said licence be given to the petitioners for the tearme of one hundred, ninety nine yeares, under the same con-	
Salmon fish.	ditions as formerly, the petitioners paying two large salmon fish to the Lord Mayor of the said citty, for the time being, on the first day of May yearly, or tenne shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof at the election of the said Lord Mayor, the first payment to be at May day next, and that their grant be sealed the next post assembly.	
Kirkeham, surgeon.	[9.] That Thomas Kirkeham, chirurgeon, shall have a lease of a small parcell of ground adjacent to his dwelling	
Kennedy's Lane. Souters Lane.	house, in Kennedys Lane, which belongs to this citty and is parte of Souters Lane, conteining from the north to the south, twenty foote, and from east to west, nineteen feete, for the tearme of ninety nine yeares, to	

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commence from Easter next, at the yearly rent of tenn 1671.
shillings, sterling, to the treasurer of the said citty, for
the citties use, and a couple of fat capons yearly to the
Lord Mayor, for the time being, at Christmas, or five
shillings, sterling, in lieu thereof, and such clauses to be
inserted in the said lease as Mr. Recorder shall thinke
fitt.

[10.] Whereas, Thomas Clarke, tanner, petitioned like-
wise unto the said assembly, shewing that the petitioner
became tennant to this citty for the tithe of the rectory
of Rathmacknee, in the county of Wexford, and paid
this citty twenty pounds fine, and was at great charge in
making out the citties title, over and above the said fine,
and for severall yeares the whole profit of the said tithes
had not defrayed the severall charges; and therefore the
petitioner humbly prayed that the said assembly would
accept of the petitioners lease and dispose of the said
tithes for the future: it is therefore ordered and agreed
upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that a
surrender of the said lease be accepted of by the said
assembly from the petitioner, provided the said surrender
be within three months after the date hereof.

Clarke,
tanner.

Tithes.

Rathmac-
knee, co.
Wexford.

Charges.

Lease.

Surrender.

. 26.

Admissions to franchise.

Franchise.

. 24.

1671. October 30.

Lord Mayor: John Totty; Sheriffs: Henry Reynolds
and Nathaniel Philpott.

Laws, orders and constitutions:—

Whereas certeine of the commons petitioned unto the
said assembly, shewing that whereas Mathew Spring,
master of arts, had been formerly admitted schoolmaster
of the Free Schoole in this citty, to have the same with
the usuall allowance, etc., dureing the pleasure of the
citty, but forasmuch as his sacred majesty had been
pleased to send his lettres to the lord lieutenant of this
kingdome, for passing of lettres patents for a new Free
Schoole, and maintenance for an able schoolmaster for

Mathew
Spring.Free
School.

Charles II.

School-
master.

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Parl.

Seal.

Mayoralty.

England.

Discharge.

Workmen.

New Hall.

Applot-
ment.

Guards.

Guard-
house.

the same, and for that doctor John Parry, deane of Christ Church, by authority given him, by act of assembly, and under the seale of office of Mayoralty, had contracted with a schoolmaster in England, who is expected here very suddenly, they, therefore, humbly prayed that the citties pleasure might be declared by act of this assembly for the discontinuance of the said Mr. Spring, and that such course might be taken for the accomodateing the said new schoolmaster suitable to the honour of the city and his encouragement: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the said Mr. Spring be from henceforth discharged from the place and employment of master of the Free Schoolle of this citty, and that such provision be made for the accomodation of the new schoolmaster, now comeing out of England, as the committee appointed for the said affaire, or quorum of them, shall think fitt.

[2.] It is allsoe ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, on a petition of certeine of the commons, that the Lord Mayor be desired to take effectuall care for the employing workemen to repaire the New Hall, and the charge thereof to be paid by the treasurer of this citty on his lordships warrant, provided it exceed not fourty pounds, sterling.

[3.] Whereas also certeine of the commons petitioned unto this assembly, shewing that whereas the sume of one hundred pounds, sterling, was ordered the last Michaelmas assembly to be applotted and levyed on the inhabitants of this citty and suburbs for defraying the charge of fire and candle-light for the guards of this citty, this winter, which summe will be too little to defray that charge and to pay the twenty pounds rent, reserved for the guard house, they therefore humbly prayed that an additionall summe might be granted by this assembly for the full discharging those duties, as hath been accustomed: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the authority of the said assembly, that the

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summe of twenty pounds, sterling, over and above the 1671.
aforesaid summe of one hundred pounds, which was
ordered to be assessed and collected, be paid to such
person or persons as his lordship shall appointe by
warrant to the treasurer of the citty, to answeere the
ends aforesaid, and that the Lord Mayors warrant to the
treasurer shall be sufficient to have the same allowed
on his accompt,

Assess-
ment.

1671. November 13.

Whereas Richard Baker petitioned unto this assembly,
shewing that the petitioner had amended severall
publique pavements that were broken in and about the
citty, the charge whereof did amount to the sune of
thirtie pounds, thirteen shillings three pence, sterling,
as by the particulars thereof annexed to his petition did
appeare, he therefore humbly prayed that some speedy
course might be laid downe for the payment of the said
money : it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by the
authority of this assembly, that the account of the peti-
tioner, Richard Baker, pavier, be forthwith perused by
the masters of the citty workes, who are to consider of
the petitioners worke and charges for the pavements
by him made, and what they shall report to be justly
due unto him, the same to be paid forthwith by the
treasurer of the citty, on the Lord Mayors warrant.

Richard
Baker.

Pavements.

Account.

Masters of
works.

1671. November 21.

Whereas certeine of the commons petitioned unto the
said assembly, shewing that whereas the committee
appointed by act of assembly to conferre with the per-
sons who propose the building of a new bridge over the
river Liffey, neere Lazy Hill, touching the conveniencies
and inconveniencies thereof, had met with the persons here-
after named, that is to say, sir Alexander Bence, knight,
Carey Dillon, esquire, John Stepny, esquire, Joseph Deane,
esquire, John Nicholas, esquire, William Hawkins, esquire,

New
Bridge.
Liffey.
Lazy Hill.

1671. ^{all} Gilbert Mabbot, esquire, and as we, pursuant to his excellency the lord lieutenants desires, as allsoe in
 Conference. pursuance of the said act, have discoursed thereof, which
 Objections. said persons doe propose to remove all objections against
 River. the said building of the said bridge, by giveing sufficient
 security to the citty that the channell of the river shall
 not be made worse by the building the said bridge then
 Vessels. now it is, and that vessels, gabards, and other boates
 Boats. shall have a free passage up and downe the river as now
 Watch. they have, and further that they will build, watch and
 Mainten- tend the said bridge, and constantly repair and main-
 ance. teine the same, without any charge to the citty, or any
 Tax. imposition of tax or other duty, for passeing over or
 through the same. The said commons, therefore, humbly
 prayed that this assembly would assent to the building
 of the said bridge under the conditions aforesaid, and
 that a satisfactory account might be given to his
 Lord lieu- excellency the lord lieutenant of the proceedings in the
 tenant. premisses: it is therefore ordered and agreed upon, by
 Grant. the authority of the said assembly, that the said peti-
 tioners request be and is hereby granted, provided
 security be given to the citty as learned councell shall
 advise on the citties behalfe.

APPENDIX.

I.

ORDERS¹ BY COMMISSIONERS OF THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF ENGLAND FOR THE AFFAIRS OF IRELAND, 1651-1653.

1.—Search to be made at Dublin for suspicious persons. 1651.

Information being given that divers persons of the Irish nation (whoe have been in rebellion against the parliament of the Commonwealth of England, and doe still continue enemyes to the commonwealth) doe resorte to the citty of Dublin and reside in obscure places in order to procure reliefe of amunition for the enemy, or carry on some other designe, to the prejudice of the parliament: it is therefore ordered that the Mayor and governor of the said citty doe cause diligent search this night to be made in every ward within the said citty for all vagrant and suspicious persons, and them to cause to be apprehended and kept in safe custody, to be further proceeded with according to justice. Dublin, 2 September, 1651.

Enemies to
Common-
wealth of
England.

Search.

Custody.

2.—For the security of Dublin.

Information being given that the enemy in sundry partes of this nation are gathering together in bodyes, in order to a speedy attempt upon the forces or garrisons of the parliament, the said commissioners, having regard to this citty of Dublin in this juncture of tyme, doe thinke fitt and order that all the trayne bands and other inhabitants of the same citty whoe are charged with horse or armes for security of the same, doe forthwith prepare the respective horse (wherewith they are soe

Trayne
bands.
Inhabi-
tants.

Prepara-
tion.
Horses.

¹ Public Record Office, Dublin, A 82, 84, Nos. 42, 44.

1651 Arms.	charged) and armes in reddyne, compleatly fixed, and that they doe diligently attend such service upon the lyne or otherwise for the safety of the said citty, as they shall receive order and direction from the governor therof, for the tyme being, upon payne to forfeit for every default tenne pounds, or undergoe a months imprisonment; and that the said persons and other inhabitants within the said citty that are able to finde or beare armes, doe immediatly provide for themselves,
Penalty.	sons and servants, serviceable armes for the defence of the citty against any attempt that may be made. And the said inhabitants are required, from time to tyme, to appeare and serve with such armes for the defence of this citty accordingly as they shall receive orders or warning from the said governor for the time being, upon like payne of forfeiture of ten pounds, or undergoeing a months imprisonment as aforesaid, for every default that shalbe made contrary to the tenor of this order. And where a servant make a default to appeare or doe such service as is commanded, the master is to be punisht as aforesaid. And it is further ordered that the governor of the said citty doe forthwith cause a list to be made of all the said inhabitants and their respective armes, and to appoint fitt places where such persons are to repaire unto upon alarms and other summons to performe the said service, and what persons shall commaund them. And the said governor for the time being, Mayor and aldermen of the said citty, or any three or more of them, are authorized and required to cause all and singular the penalties to be levved and penalties inflicted for every default as aforesaid committed against this order. Dublin.
Inprisonment.	
Defence of city.	
Governor.	
Punishment.	
List.	
Men.	
Arms.	
Alarms.	
Mayor	
Aldermen.	

3.—The Maior of Dublin to produce a copy of his oath, etc.

Mayor.

Ordered: That the Maior of this citty (for the time being) doe cause to be brought before the said commis-

sioners att Corke howse,¹ on Wednesday, the 10th of this 1651. instant, att three of the clocke in the afternoone, true coppyes of all oathes usually given and administred to Oaths. Mayors, Sheriffs, aldermen, and all other officers and freemen of the said citty. Dublin, 6 September, 1651.

4.—Concerning the citty troope.

Whereas for the necessary defence of the citty of Dublin in this time, when the greatest parte of the horse and foote of the army are upon service in other places, a troope of horse is raised under the commaund of colonell Tothill,² itt is declared and ordered that all and every person and persons who is or shalbee charged by the Maior and aldermen of the said citty to find any horse or men towards the said troope, and shall not constantly and duely passe upon duty for defence of the said citty sufficiently armed, according to such orders as shalbee given by the commaunder of the said troope, shall forfeit for every default five shillings, and upon certificate made to the Maior of the said citty of the respective defaulters by the captain or leiftenant of the said troope, the said Maior is hereby authorized and required to issue out his warrants for leaveing of all and singuler the said fines on the goods and chattells of the respective defaulters, and in case of refusall to pay the same, a writ of distresse to bee taken to committ to prison the body of the said offender till the said respective fines shalbee paid. Dublin, 16 October, 1651.

5.—Dublin Quay.

For the more certaine payment of customes and excize of all goods and merchandizes that come by water to the port of Dublin, and that merchants and owners may knowe where to land theire goods and merchandizes, and

¹ See "History of city of Dublin," vol. ii., pp. 319. Dublin: 1859.

² See "Contemporary History of

affairs in Ireland, 1641-1652." Dublin: 1880, vol. iii., p. 239

1651.
Officers.

Vessels.

Custom
House
Quay.
Unloading.Merchan-
dize.Commo-
dities.

Quays.

Collector.

Surveyor.

Licence.

Landing
waiters.

Fish

the officers of the customes knowe where to attend for the receipt of such duties as doe belonge to the Commonwealth, it is nowe ordered that all gabbards, lighters, boates, and other vessells loaden and fraught with any goods that ought to pay custome or excise, and doe or shall bring the same on shoare within the said port of Dublin, shall and may, and are hereby required, first to come to the Custome howse key in Dublin, and to discharge, unloade and deliver the said goods and merchandizes at the said Custome howse key, and at noe other place, upon paine of forfeiture of such gabbard, lighter, boate and vessell, and the goods and merchandizes therein contained: provided that if any gabbard, lighter, boate or any other vessell be loaden and fraught with any coale, salt, wine, vinegar, oyle, beere, cyder, perry, masts, deale boards, tarre or corne, and the merchants or owners of such last recited goods shall desire to unloade the same at some other key or place in Dublin, then such merchants or owners, or other on their behaulfe, are to give notice therof to the collector, checquer or surveyor of the said customes in the port of Dublin, or any one of them, and not to departe from the said Customehowse key, or unloade at any other key or place within the said port, without a ticket or note in wryting first had from the said officers of the customes, or any one or more of them; in which ticket or lycence the kinde of such goods and merchandize is to be mentioned, and the key and place where such goods are to be landed, where a landwayter is or shalbe appointed to attend, and to noe other place; and then such ticket to be delivered to such landwayter before the landing of the same, and the same to be landed and discharged in the presence of the said landwayter, upon payne of forfeiture of the said gabbard, leighter, boate or vessell, and all the goods and merchandizes therein: provided that this order doe not extend to fish taken at sea, and brought into the said port by any persons under the protection

of the commonwealth of England. And the said officers ^{1651.} of the Customehowse are hereby authorized and required to cause this order to be published and putt in due execution. Dublin, 29 October, 1651.

6.—Maioir of Dublin and citizens to bring in their charters.

Ordered: That the Mayor and cittizens of Dublin doe bring before the said commissioners such charters ^{Charters} whereby they or any other guild or corporation within ^{Guilds.} Dublin doe clayme to have power to restrayne and prohibite any persons to use any trade, and to make by-lawes and rules for the regulating of trade, and that they bringe such by-lawes as have bene made and are now pretended to be in force, whereby any persons are restrayned to use any trade, and alsoe such oathes as are imposed on all persons that doe use any trade, or that are admitted to theire freedome, and alsoe such charters or by lawes whereby they clayme to have power to imprison any persons that doe use any trade that are not of their corporation or guild.

Dublin, 31 November, 1651.

7.—Corne for Dublin.

Ordered that the commissioners of the revenue within <sup>Commis-
sioners of
revenue.</sup> the precinct and division of Dublin, or any three or more of them, doe take care that two thousand barrells of good, sweet and wholesome bread corne be provided and <sup>Bread.
Corn.</sup> brought into the garrison of the citty of Dublin, and it is ordered and declared that the said corne shalbe payd ^{Payment.} for to the respective persons of whom the same shalbe had by three equall proportions out of the monthly contribution and assessments of the respective countyes within the said precinct or division, which shall become ^{Precinct.} due in the monthes of December, January and February ^{Division.} next ensuing, and at such rates and prices as the like conditiond corne was sold in the markets of the citty of <sup>City
markets.</sup>

1651.	Dublin upon the last market day in October last. For
Rate.	which end the said commissioners are to enquire what
Markets.	rates such sortes of corne was sould for at the said
Tickets.	markets att the said last market day. And accordingly
Delivery.	the said commissioners of revenue, or any two of them,
Stores. Garrison.	are authorized and required to give tickets to the
	respective persons of whome the said corne shalbe soe
	had, as aforesaid; and after such corne shalbe delivered
	into the stores of the said garrison, the commissioners of
	revenue, or any two of them, are to certify the lord
	deputy generall, as alsoe the said commissioners of parlia-
	ment, what quantityes of corne are soe delivered into the
	said garrison, of whome bought, and att what rates and
	to whose custody and eare the same is committed. And
Lord deputy general.	if it shall happen that the lord deputy general or the
	said commissioners of parliament shall not give any other
	order for the true payment of all such sommes of money
	as shalbe due for the said corne brought into the said
	garrison as abovesaid, by virtue of this order, and the
	partyes from whome such corne shalbe soe had and taken
	as abovesaid have due satisfaction for the same att or
Limit.	before the 1st day of December next ensueing: that
	then the said commissioners of revenue of the said
	precinct or division, or any three or more of them, shall
Monthly contribu- tions.	and may, out of the monthly contributions and assess-
	ments of the said respective countyes within the said
	precinct or division, which shalbe due in the monthes of
	December, January and February, satisfy and pay, or
Payments.	cause to be satisfyed and payd, all such sommes of
	money as shalbe due unto the persons from whome such
	corne as abovesaid shalbe had and taken as abovesaid
	respectively, and according to the price and value as
Price. Value.	abovesaid, the same to be payd out of the monthly con-
	tributions and assessments of the said respective countyes
	within the precinct or division by three equall propor-
	tions, videlicet, one third parte in the said month of
	December, one third parte in the said month of January,

and the other third part in the said month of February. 1651.
 And the warrant of the said commissioners of revenue within the said precinct or division, and the receipt of the parties (to whome such monyes is or shalbe due) or their assigns, shalbe a sufficient warrant to the treasurer Treasurer. or under treasurer of the receipts of the assessments and Public revenue. other publique revenue of that precinct and division to pay the same, whoe is to certify the same, and what payments are made by him by vertue of this order to the treasurer of the publique revenue at Dublin. And it is further ordered that noe corne be issued out of the said Issue of corn. garrison, other then for the necessary releife and maintenance of the souldiers of the said garrison, but by Soldiers. order in wryting of the lord deputy generall, or the said commissioners of parliament, or of colonel Hewson,¹ governor of the said citty, and for noe other use, and according to the proportion of eight pound in bread to Proportious of bread every souldier by the weeke. And it is further ordered that the said commissioners of revenue, or any three or more of them, doe cause the said two thousand barrells of corne to be delivered unto Timothy Avery, commissary Timothy Avery, commissary. of the stores in Dublin, whoe is to take care for the safe and well keeping of the same, and not to issue out the same but upon order as is abovesaid. Dublin, 6 November, 1651.

8.—The Mayor of Dublin to press seamen. 1653.

To Mr. Daniel Hutchinson,² Mayor of Dublin: You are Daniel Hutchinson, son, Mayor forthwith, for the speciall service of the state, to presse twenty able seamen in and about this citty to serve on board the ship 'Francis,' whereof captain Thomas Boyde is commander. And we doe hereby require the searcher Searcher. Custom House. of the Customehouse, and all other officers in this port, to be ayding and assisting unto you in the due execution hereof. For which this shalbee a sufficient warrant. Dublin, 28 March, 1653.

¹ See vol. iii., p. xli.

² See p. 33.

9.—Salary of town-major of Dublin.

1653. Whereas, by order of the fourth of January last, all
 Allowances. allowances for governors tables and salaries for town-
 Salaries. majors were to bee retrenched from the 23 day of the
 said month, and the commissioners and treasurers of the
 Payment. severall precincts were to forbear the payment of the
 same, save only to the town-major of Dublin, who was
 then, upon advice, thought fitt to bee continued: it is
 therefore ordered that the sallary of the said town-major
 of Dublin bee paid him up from the time of the said
 Retrench- retrenchment by the treasurer of the precinct of Dublin
 ment. by warrant from the commissioners of the revenue there,
 Precinct of Dublin. who are hereby authorized to issue out their warrants
 accordingly, and to continue the same untill further
 order. Dated at Dublin, 9 May, 1653.

10.—Dublin taxes.

Ordered: That it bee referred unto the committee
 Poor in formerly appointed about the poore in the citty of
 Dublin. Dublin, and the surveyors of the publique revenue and
 stores in Ireland, or any five or more of them, to consider
 Taxes. of the taxes charged upon the said citty, and how the
 same are applotted; and where the said taxes are
 Applot- unequally laid they are to regulate the same, and likewise
 ment. to examine wherein any of the inhabitants of the said
 citty are any waies oppressed, and to take course how
 Relief. they may bee speedily releevd and redressed therein,
 and to certify their proceedings to the said commis-
 sioners of the commonwealth. Dublin, 22 July, 1653.

II.

1655. ORDER¹ IN RELATION TO ROMAN CATHOLICS, 1655.
 Irish Att Easter assemblie, holden the 26th of April, 1655.
 quarters. By the Maior and aldermen of the cittie of Dublin.
 Whereas it is observed that severall persons, Papists,
 who were inhabitants of this cittie at the beginning of
 this rebellion, did desert this cittie and went into the
 Irishe quarters and resided there, and now are returned
 to this cittie and inhabit herein: it is therefore ordered

¹ Ms., in the library of the Royal Irish Academy, Dublin.

that the several masters and wardens of the several corporations of this cittie do forthwith make diligent enquiry hereof, and returne the names of such persons, Papists,¹ with all convenient speed unto the Maior of this cittie and at their chardges within tenn dayes after sight hereof.

1655.
City
corpora-
tions.

Return of
names.

Thomas Hooke, Mayor of Dublin.—Charles Foster.—Thomas Wakefield.—William Smith.—Raphael Hunt.—Daniel Hutchinson.—Ridgley Hatfield.—John Cranwell.—William Clifte.—Richard Tighe.—Thomas Waterhouse.—Robert Mills.—George Gilbert.

III.

COMMISSIONERS FOR DUBLIN ASSESSMENTS, 1656. 1656.

By his highness the Lord Protector's council for the affairs of Ireland: order dated at Dublin, the castle of Dublin, 28 March, 1656:

Commissioners for the assessing, levying and collecting the assessment for the county of Dublin and the city and county thereof:

The Mayor of the cittie of Dublin for the time being, the high sheriff of the county of Dublin, Charles lord Lambert, sir Hardress Waller, sir Gerard Lowther, sir William Parsons, sir John Temple, sir Robert Meredyth, sir Robert King, sir Edward Bolton, sir John Reinolds, sir William Usher, sir Paul Davies, knights. John Hewson, Arthur Anslow, Hierom Sankey, Richard Lawrence, Anthony Morgan, Philip Phernsley, John Vernon, Theophilus Jones, Doctor Henry Jones Dudley Loftus, Chidly Coote, John Bisse, esquires. Isaac Dobson, John Percivall, Thomas Richardson, Henry Porter, Raphael Hunt, Daniel Huchinson, Richard Tigh, esquires, John Price, Robert Moulsworth, James Standish, William Cottington, Thomas Boles, gentlemen. John Preston, John Smith of Drum Conra, Walter Plunkett, Ralph Wallis, Walter Poodeley, William Smith, alderman, Henry Markham, esquire.

¹ See pp. 162, 171.

IV.

1659.

CENSUS OF DUBLIN,¹ 1659.

PARISH: ST. NICHOLAS WITHIN THE WALLS.

Skinner
Row.

Skinner Row:—Number of people: 402: English—324; Irish, 78.

Tituladoes names: Sir Thomas Shurlog, knight; James Shurlog, his son, gentleman. Alderman Thomas Stoughton.—Esquires: Roger Bishop, Nathaniel Boyle, Thomas Browne, Theophilus Eton, Ridgley Hatfield, Philip Harris, Thomas Hookes, Robert Kennedy, Richard Kenny, Ralph King, John Preston, John Pue.—Gentlemen: Ralph Allen, James Edkins, William Evers, Thomas Floyd, Francis Harris, Thomas Hookes, James Howard, James Kelly, Nicholas Knight, Edward Penteney, John Pitts, Edmond Ramsey, Thomas Hookes, John White, Thomas Wickham, Nicholas Wilcox.—Lieutenant Henry Wade.—Merchants: John Belton, James Webb, Silvester Wright.

PARISH: ST. ANDREWS.

Swan Alley. Swan Alley:—Number of people: 25: English—25; Irish, 0.

Tituladoes names: Captains: Robert Hughes, — Claypoole; John Paine.—Gentleman: Christopher Palmer.

Damaske
Street.

Damaske Street:—Number of people: 292: English—254; Irish, 38.

Tituladoes names:—Lord Ranelagh, sir Maurice Eustace, sir John Temple, sir George Wentworth.—Captains: — Burt, lodger, John Franklin, — Graves.—John Temple, esq. — Gentlemen: William Bligh, Stephen Buston, Robert Candit, John Dodson, Samuel Drury, — Elward, Thomas Hayden, John Kithingman, Thomas Pooley, John Walsh, William Wesley, Samuel Jones, lodger.—John Bligh, major.—Thomas Buckarton.

¹ Ms. in the library of the Royal Irish Academy, Dublin.

St. Georges Lane:—Number of people: 133; English 1659.
—105; Irish, 28. St.
Geor-ge's
Lane.

Tituladoes names: Esquire: Thomas Maule.—Gentle-
men: John Cryth, Charles Lemond, Ralph Manners,
Abraham Muckelberne, Anthony Roe, Peter Synyres.

Trinity Lane:—Number of people: 18; English—13; Trinity
Irish, 5. Lane.

College Green:—Number of people: 87; English—80; College
Irish, 7. Green.

Tituladoes names: Captains: — Glover, William
Jones.—Cornett: — Merricke.—Doctor: Robert Mould.
—Gentleman: Edward Gutch.—Quartermaster: — Loyd.
Christopher Black, John Boudler, — Cox, Richard
Edwardes, Pierce Hart, Henry Jones, William Jones,
Jeremy Watts.

Lazy Hill:—Number of people: 237; English—180; Lazy Hill.
Irish, 57.

Tituladoes names:—Captains: John Nicholls, — Rich.

ST. PATRICKS PARISH.

Francis Street:—Number of people: 813; English—
577; Irish, 236. Francis
Street.

Tituladoes names:—Alderman: John Cranwell.—
Captains: — Dixon, — Phillpott, Francis Shane.—
Cornett: — Jefford.—Esquires: Thomas Foules, William
Taylor, Thomas Whitgrove. Lieutenant Colonel: —
Warren.—Robert Arundell.

ST. BRIDES PARISH.

St. Brides Street:—Number of people: 286; English
—232; Irish, 54. St.
Bride's
Street.

Tituladoes names:—Lady Phillips and her son, Robert.
Captains: — Early, — Playford, Thomas Poope, — Potter,
and his son, Walter, gentleman, — Shaw.—Colonel:
— Barrow.—Esquires: M. Dawson and his son, John
Dawson, gentleman.—Gentlemen: John Archer, Gryffen
Borden, Robert Browne, Isaac Collier, Roger Glascord,
John Pinson, Richard Richt, Robert Seaman, Richard

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St. Br.
Street.

Ward.—Inn-keeper: W. Dason.—Lieutenants: — Lecord, M. Markham.—Marshal: — Peake.—Merchant: John Browne.—Clarke: Josias Debart.—George King, George Maxwell.

Sheep
Street.

Sheep Street:—Number of people: 116; English—97; Irish, 19.

Titulados names:—The lord Aungier.—Captain: Robert Newman.—Brewer: Ralph Coleman.—Cornet: — Roney.—Esquire: James Cuff.—Gentlemen: Robert Bealing, James Fountaine, Robert Hughes, John Joanes, — Naughton, Arthur Padmore, William Seden, Patrick Tallant.—Lieutenant: — Wright.—Lodger: Chr. Barnes.

Golden
Lane.

Golden Lane:—Number of people: 78; English—55; Irish, 23.

Titulados names: Captains: — Pritchett, Abel Warren.—Esquires: John Moore, Thomas Tucker.—Gentlemen: Philip Alding, John Avery, — Benson, Richard Bennet, — Bridges, Nicholas Combes, Edmund Guig, — Moynes, Thomas Ob . . . , John Thornton, Thomas Walton, Thomas Warren and John, his son.—Lieutenants: — Cotton, Robert Newman.

Stevens's
Street.

Stevens Street:—Number of people: 110; English—92; Irish, 18.

Titulados names: Cornett: — Burton.—Esquire: Edward Roberts.—Gentleman: John Assin.—Lieutenant Colonel: — Arnop.

Chequer
Lane.

Chequer Lane: Number of people: 142; English—105; Irish, 37.

Titulados names:—Gentlemen: John Bryan, John Cliff, George Dixon, William Dore, Samuel Foxwick, Robert Hall, John Harington, William Holford, Thomas Molford, Richard Stanton,

RINGSEND AND THE LIBERTIES THEREOF.

Ringsend.

Ringsend:—Number of people: 80; English—59; Irish, 21.

Irishtowne:—Number of people: 98; English—25; ^{Irish} ^{Irishtowne.} Irish, 75.

Tituladoes names:—Oliver lord Fitzwilliams, William Fitzwilliams, esq.

Simons Court:—Number of people: 22; English—7; ^{Simons} ^{Court} Irish, 15.

Donebrooke:—Number of people: 13; English—4; ^{Donny-} ^{brook.} Irish, 9.

Baggotrath:—Number of people: 32; English—3; ^{Baggotrath.} Irish, 29.

ST. JOHNS PARISH.

Fishamble Street—part:—Number of people: 300; ^{Fishamble} ^{Street.} English—275; Irish, 25.

Tituladoes names:—The lady Crosby.—Alderman: — Warton.—Esquire: Edmond Duff, lodger.—Gentlemen: Richard Blundell, John Sheapheard.—Merchants: James Barlowe, Arthur Usher.

Wine-Tavern Street:—Number of people: 230; ^{Wine-} ^{tavern} ^{Street.} English—187; Irish, 43.

Tituladoes names: Alderman Daniel Hutchinson.—Gentlemen: Joseph Banks, Tobias Bennett, lodger, Francis Dudley, Mathew Farley, James Gould, John Fitzgerald, William Harrison, Henry Markham, Robert Marshall, Richard Palfrey, Humphrey Withams.—Lieutenant: — Pentony, lodger. Lieutenant-colonel: — Hookes.—Merchants: Jeremiah Berston, John Boulton, Adam Gould, Andrew Lord, William Taylor.

ST. JOHNS PARISH.

Wood Key ward:—Number of people: 374; English ^{Wood Quay} ^{Ward.} —322; Irish, 52.

Tituladoes names: Brewers: William Martin, Robert Wade.—Doctor: Dudley Loftus.—Esquire: John Madden.—Gentlemen: Edward Aghwell, Nicholas Amansham, Samuel Benole, Valentine Cooke, John Hanway, William Harborne, James Kelly, Henry Lewis, Thomas Ray, John Pitts, Thomas Poole, Thomas Robotham, Thomas

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Wood
Quay
Ward

Sumars, Jeffrey Toulson.—Merchants: Thomas Boyd, Thomas Fulton, William Hill, Thomas Howard, Humphrey Jervis, Ezekiel Larkin, Christopher Lovett, Einor Turner, Joseph Whitchurch.—Sheriff: John Price.¹

ST. WARBURGHS PARISH.

Castle
Street.

Castle Street:—Number of people: 214; English—202; Irish, 12.

Tituladoes names: Alderman: Daniel Bellingham.—Doctors: — Gerry, — Waterhouse.—Sir James Ware, knight.—Esquires: John Bisse, Robert Cooke, Richard Harvy, John Hughs, Richard Phillips, Coll. Long, Samuel Peepes, John Povy, George St. George, William Tichborne, Edward Wallis, James Ware.—Gentlemen: Robert Bathripp, Samuel Bathurst, Horatio Bonorly, John Brampton, John Brown, John Burtell, Richard Butler, Thomas Caulfield, Anthony Derry, Samuel Doughty, John Fletcher, Christopher Hart, Gregory Lambert, Richard Martin, Andrew Mooney, John North, William Shelton Joseph Stoakes, George Stoughton, Edward Swan, Robert Symons, John Tonstall, Evan Vaughan, Reginald Wainwright, Nicholas Ward, Robert Ware, Tobias Wetherell, Richard Wilson, Robert Woods.

Parte of Copper Alley:—Number of people: 34: English—29; Irish, 5.

Tituladoes names: Gentlemen: Thomas Ball, Richard Bicknall, Charles Butler, Robert Elkin, John Fleming, Samuel Kett, Thomas Sheapherd, Thomas Stoughton, Charles Wainman, John Wallis, Robert Yates.

St.
Warburgh's
Street.

Part of St. Warbroughs Streete:—Number of people: 124; English—110; Irish, 14.

Tituladoes names: Sir Thomas Herbert, knight.—Collonel: — Knight.—Cornett: — Slattery.—Esquires: Chidly Coote, Henry Herbert, James Pollexfield.—Gentlemen: Mathew Forth, John Gay, Nicholas Harman,

¹ See p. 167,

Thomas Harnet, John Harson, Henry Herbert, John Hooker, Thomas Lewis, James Polexfield, John Polexfield, Henry Rawlinson, William Robert, William Sands, Robert Shipcott, James Yates, — Alexander, junior.

Lenthrops Alley : Number of people : 55 ; English—40 ; Irish, 15.

Tituladoes name : William Kennedy, gentleman.

Sir John Hoys Alley : Number of people : 19 ; English—2 ; Irish, 17.

Tituladoes name : Jerome Alexander, esq.

Fishamble Street—parte : Number of people : 15 ; English—14 ; Irish, 1.

Tituladoes names : Gentlemen : John Barker, Mathew Nulty.

St. Warbroughs Street : Number of people : 316 ; English—274 ; Irish, 42.

Tituladoes names : Knight and baronet : sir Charles Coote.—Knight : sir Oliver St. George. Doctor : — Alwoodhouse.—Esquires : William Bladen, Henry Bollard, Hugh Clotworthy, Carey Dillon, William Dixon, Hugh Price, Lewes Wallard.—Gentlemen : John Branham, Roger Bould, John Bush, Edward Burrowes, Robert Cadwell, Samuel Cotton, Richard Crofton, Nathaniel Fookes, — Hasselham, Richard Hayden, William Hill, Thomas Hooke, Isaac John, Robert Johnson, Henry Keating, William Lane, Jonas Lee, Samuel Nicholas, John Norton, Thomas Parnall, Humphrey Poudyhard, Enoch Rider, Thomas Reynolds, William Sherding, William Stephenson, John Thornton, Robert Thornton, Sampson Toogood, Robert Treswell, Richard Webb, Ralph Whetlock, Richard Young.—Quartermaster : — Stanley.—Corporal : — Stiles.—Matthew Langdale.

Parte of Corke Hill : Number of people : 21 ; English—20 ; Irish, 1.

Tituladoes name : Garrott Weldon, gentleman.

Part of Copper Alley : —Number of people : 35 ; English—28 ; Irish, 7.

1859. Tituladoes names : Nicholas Fountaine, esq.—Gentlemen : Thomas Dent, William Diggs, Edward Wayman.
 Copper Alley. Globe Alley :—Number of people : 13 ; English—11 ; Irish, 2.

Tituladoes names : Richard Reeves, esq.—Gentlemen : William Butler, Timothy Grolliar, Dudley Loftus.

ST. AUDOENS PARISH.

Bridge Street.

Bridge Street :—Number of people : 257 ; English—199 ; Irish, 58.

Tituladoes names : Robert Deey,¹ Mayor.—Aldermen : John Desmineers, John Forrest, George Gilbert, Peter Wybrants.—Sir William Usher, knight. — Distiller : Nathaniel Palmer.—Esquire : Audley Mervin.—Gentlemen : Patrick Archer, Paul Cadmore, Albertus Crosbenton, William Deane, Robert Goulborne, Allen Jones, Peter Lesan, Mathew Mogg, William Sumer.—Lawyer : N. Morgan.—Merchants : James Ashly, William Barrow, Symon Carricke, James Cleare, David Conly, John Cooke, Lewis Desmineers, George Dowdall, Thomas Freeman, John Sergeant, Thomas Springham, Francis Stanford, Peter Travers, David Westenra, Warren Westenra.

Skippers Lane.

Skippers Lane : Number of people : 5 ; English—5.

Tituladoes name : Nicholas Gorman, merchant.—William Bagg, gentleman.

Cooke Street.

Cooke Street :—Number of people : 181 ; English—100 ; Irish, 81.

Tituladoes names : — Apothecary : John Bollard.—Distiller : Richard Ward.—Esquire : Richard Berford.—Gentlemen : Robert Ardogh, John Cardiff, James Eustace, William Harvey, John Hodges, William Hopkins, Patrick Mapes, William Plunket, Valentine Savage, James White.—Merchants : Edmond Clere, Abraham Clemens, Paul Delasale, John Dutton, William Fulham, John Salmon, Samuel Saltonstall, Dominick White.

¹ See page 167.

Parte of High Street:—Number of people : 24 ; Eng-^{lish}—19 ; Irish, 5. <sup>1659.
High
Street.</sup>

Tituladoes names:—Apothecary : Richard Clarke.—
Doctor : Robert Talbot.— Mr. Browne, gentleman.—
Thomas Johnson, merchant.

Back Lane—Part : Number of people : 14 ; English—
14. ^{Back Lane.}

Tituladoes name : Richard Muncke, gentleman.

More of High Street:—Number of people : 87 ; Eng-^{High}—77 ; Irish, 10. ^{Street.}

Tituladoes names: Merchants: John Champines,
William Cramby, William Kerke.—Philip Costelloe,
shopkeeper.—Daniel Morgan, smith.

Kysars Lane:—Number of people : 56 ; English—45 ; ^{Kysars}Irish, 11. ^{Lane.}

Tituladoes names: Regnell Ball, Ephraim Hardy,
gentlemen.

ST. MICHELLS PARISH.

High Streete: Number of people : 274 ; English—220 ; ^{High}Irish, 54. ^{Street.}

Tituladoes names : Aldermen :—Cooke, Kennedy, Mark
Quin.—Apothecary : James Wade.—Captains : — Cham-
bers, Robert Locke.—Clothier : John Knot.—Colonel :
— Owens.—Doctor Fennell, lodger.— Esquires : Stephen
Butler, Francis Harvey.—Gentlemen : Thomas Brett,
Thomas Kennedy, Henry Reynolds, Thomas Whitmore.
Judge : — Whaley.—Knight : Sir Robert Ford.—
Merchants : William Brooking, Samuel Chandler, Mynard
Christian, John Foxall, Matthew French, Richard Millin-
ton, Josua Rawlinson, John Snyth, William Whitchett.
—Shopkeeper : George Fisher.—Barnard Vizard.

St. Michells Lane : Number of people : 120 ; English—
92 ; Irish, 28. <sup>St.
Michael's
Lane.</sup>

Tituladoes names: Attorney: Henry Martin.—Esquire:
— Mortimer.—Gentleman : Thomas Hutchinson.

Cork Hill :—part : Number of people : 27 ; English—
24 ; Irish, 3. ^{Cork Hill.}

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Christ
Church
Lane.

Christ Church Lane:—Number of people: 47; English—39; Irish, 8.

Tituladoes names: James Galbelly, James Jones, gentlemen.

Schoole
house
Lane

Schoole house Lane:—Number of people: 21; English—16; Irish, 5.

Tituladoes name: Thomas Richardson, esq.

Cooke
Street.

Cooke Street:—Number of people: 86; English—68; Irish, 18.

Tituladoes names: Esquire: Thomas Richardson.—Gentlemen: Richard Price, — Young.—Grocer: Edward Barryt.—Merchant: William Howard.

Rosemary
Lane.

Rosemary Lane:—Number of people: 18; English—12; Irish, 6.

Tituladoes name: John Sargent, merchant.

Merchants
Quay.

Merchants Key:—Number of people: 49; English—43; Irish, 6.

Tituladoes names: Esquire: Matthew Barry.—Gentleman: Gerald Fay.—Major: — Brighness.—Merchants: John Beuchamp, John Hawkshaw, — Leech, Daniel Wybrants.

Skippers
Lane.

Skippers Lane:—Number of people: 36; English—26; Irish, 10.

Tituladoes names: Gentlemen: — Brewster, John Kelly, John Bygins.—Physician: John Bygins.

ST. KATHRINES PARISH.

St.
Katherine's
Parish.

Number of people: 1,356; English—970; Irish, 386.

Tituladoes names: Edward [Brabazon], earl of Meath.—Sir Robert Newcomen, knight and baronet.—Alderman: [Raphael] Hunt.—Doctor: — Smyth.—John Hughes, secretary.—Esquires: Edward Brabazon, Thomas Dungan, Robert Ludlow, James Mollenex, Theophilus Sandford, Richard Tyth, Ralph Vizard, Thomas Waterhouse, Thomas Worshopp.—Gentlemen: Joshua Allen, Patrick Allen and his son, Robert Allen, Robert Archer, Christopher Bennett, James Browne, Thomas Butler, Edward Chain-

bers, Mark Cheswright, Thomas Clarke, John Cole, 1659. Thomas Cooke, Tobias Creamer, John Dobson, Thomas Dromgold, John Fryer, William Goragh, Richard Greene, Robert Harding, Richard Heynham, Thomas Houell, Owen Jones, John Kelly, William Lechfield, Peter Lockard, Luke Lowther, Giles Mee, Thomas Nevell, John Penington, William Phillipps, Thomas Powell, Thomas Quirke, James Relick, Abraham Rigg, Hugh Roberts, Ralph Rosengrave, Thomas Shaw and his son, Henry, and Thomas, his son, Jeremiah Skelton, Henry Spranger, Richard Stiles, Tristram Thornton, Henry Verscoyle, Robert Wade, Ralph Wallis, Robert Wasberry, John Workman.

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ST. MICHANS PARISH.

Number of people: 95; English—48; Irish, 47.

St.
Michan's
Parish.

Tituladoes names: Sir James Barry,¹ knight.—Robert Reeves, clerk. — Colonel: Henry Flower. — Esquires: Richard Barry, Randal Becket, William Blackwell, Stephen Butler, William Sandes, Edward Short, John Southy, James Stopford.—Gentlemen: Ralph Hartney, William Sands.—Merchants: Thomas Cole, John Kelly, Robert Mercer.

Church Street:—Number of people: 362; English—179; Irish, 183.

Church
Street.

Tituladoes names: Captain: — Prigget. — Doctor: — Yarner. — Gentlemen: George Clapham, — Francis, Francis Spence.—Major William Meredyth.—Merchants: James Boyle, Richard Cleabear, Thomas Dowding, William Peachen.—Shopkeepers: William Allen, — Bradshaw, Bartholomew Hadsor and Obadiah, his son, Edward Michell, Thomas Orr, Henry Orson.—Vintner: John Brookes.

¹ See pp. 116, 131, 226.

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ST. MICHANS PARISH—CONTINUED.

Hangman
Lane.

Hangman Lane:—Number of people: 242; English—158; Irish, 84.

Tituladoes names: Knights: sir Paul Davys, sir Robert Meredith.—Alderman William Cuff.—Esquires: Richard Barret, George Carr, Charles Coote, Charles Meredith, Edward Temple.—Gentlemen: Ralph Barker, Felix Birne, William Carr, Thomas Carre, Thomas Doude, William Hodgkins, Richard Owens, Thomas Seagrave, Laurence Thornton.—Malsters: Bartholomew Lynacar, William Thwaits.—Merchant: Daniel Doyle.

St. Mary's
Abbey.

The Abbey [of St. Mary]: Number of people:—258; English—167; Irish, 91.

Tituladoes names: Knights: sir Anthony Morgan, sir Henry Tichborn.—Esquires: John Bridges, Arthur Chichester, John Cole, George Crossby, John Doughty, Markes Mould.—Gentlemen: James Barnwall, Christopher Curren, William Halter, Daniel Hickson, Edward Lucas, Thomas Taylor, Edward Tobbericke.—Malsters: William Lawles, Henry Steele.

The Green.

The Green:—Number of people: 31; English—8; Irish, 23.

Tituladoes name: Thomas Mason, esq.

Phibbs
Park.

Phibbs Park:—Number of people: 8; English—8; Irish, 0.

Bull Lane.

Bull Lane:—Number of people: 167; English—33; Irish, 134.

Tituladoes names: Esquires: George Charlton, Edmond Tomlins.

Caberagh.

Little Caberagh:—Number of people: 10; English—6; Irish, 4.

Tituladoes names: Sir Jeremiah Sankey, knight, — Herbert, esq.

Principal Irish Names.	Their numbers.	Principal Irish Names.	Their numbers.	1659.
Allen and McAllen	- 14	Farrell	-	5
McAdam	- 6	Fullam	-	8
Boyle	- 6	Fitzgerald	-	4
Butler	- 10	Garret	-	5
Birne	- 39	McGwyre	-	6
Brine	- 5	Hughs	-	9
Bryan	- 13	Kernan	-	6
Barry	- 8	Kenedy	-	9
Browne	- 19	Kelly	-	16
Bourke	- 5	Martin	-	8
Casey	- 6	Mallone	-	7
Cavenagh	- 12	Moore	-	9
Carroll	- 5	Murphy	-	10
Connor	- 8	Nowland	-	17
Callin and Cullin	- 6	Neale	-	13
Clarke	- 11	Roe	-	7
Davis	- 13	Reyly	-	10
Doyle	- 20	Smyth	-	23
Doly	- 8	Toole	-	6
Duff	- 10	Welsh	-	19
McDaniell	- 7	White	-	15
Fleming	- 8			

The number of all the people within each parish of the city of Dublin.

Parish.	People.	English.	Irish.
St. Nicholas	- 402	- 324	78
St. Andrewes	- 792	- 651	135
St. Patricks	- 813	- 577	236
St. Brides	- 732	- 581	151
Ringsend, etc.	- 245	- 96	149
St. Johns	- 904	- 784	120
St. Warbroughs	- 846	- 730	116
St. Audoens	- 839	- 593	246
St. Michells	- 678	- 540	138
St. Kathrines	- 1356	- 970	386
St. Michans	- 1173	- 607	566
Number of all,	8780	6459	2321

V.

1660.	PROCLAMATION OF CHARLES II. AT DUBLIN, 1660.
Orders.	Orders given to be observed this day at the proclaimeing of King Charles the Second, king of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, defender of the faith, etc.
Commissioner. Custom House.	The commissioners ² of the government of the nation are to meet at the councill chamber at the Custome House, ³ at two of the clock in the afternoone, this present day, being Monday, the 14th of May, where alsoe are
Nobility.	then to meete the nobility, judges and gentry, with the
Convention.	chairman and members of the convention, ⁴ on horseback.
Mayor. Aldermen. Damas Gate.	That the Maior and Aldermen of Dublin do come on horseback to Damas Gate.
City militia. Castle Gate.	That the militia troope of the citty be drawne up at the Castle Gate.
	That the Maior and Aldermen do stay at Damas Gate untill the commissioners, attended by the nobility, judges, convention and gentry doe come to the gate.
King and pursuivant at armes.	The king and pursuivant at armes, in the coats of armes, and the two sergeants at armes with their maces, are to go on horseback before the commissioners from the Custome House, and six trumpetts and six drums, and also all along as far as they go, and the clerk of the council to attend the commissioners on horseback, carrying with him the proclamation of the proclaimeing of the king.
Trumpets. Drums. Clerk of council.	
Mayor. Aldermen.	The Maior and the Aldermen are to march in the van, next after the militia troop.
	The commissioners, nobility, judges, convention and gentry are to follow from Damas Gate to the Castle Gate, and there, a stay being made, the trumpets are to sound thrice. And that done, the king at armes is to make an oyez three times, which done, the clerk of the councill is to read openly the proclamation of proclaimeing the king.
Trumpets.	
Reading proclamation.	

¹ Dublin "Monday Book," Ms.² Roger Boyle lord Broghill, sir Charles Coote and major William Bury.³ See vol. iii., p. xvi.⁴ See p. xiv.

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And as he reads the same, the king at armes is to repeat it after him, word for word.

And after reading the proclamation thoroughly, it is expected that there should then be three joyfull acclamations of the people, which are justly due from them upon so happy an occasion.

From thence they are to ride to the Tholsell, and there to make a like stand, and there the proclamation is to be read openly, in all circumstances, in the manner aforesaid.

From thence they are to ride to the Corn Market, and there to make a like stand, and there the proclamation is to be read openly, in all circumstances, in the manner aforesaid.

From thence they are to ride through Newgate, and so through New Rowe, and so through Bridge Streete to the Bridge Gate, and there the proclamation is to be read openly in all circumstances, in manner as aforesaid.

Then the commissioners and the Maior, Aldermen and all the gentry are to go along the Key, and so to returne to the councell chamber, where the commissioners, the Maior and Aldermen, the nobility and gentry are to sign the proclamation.

That the nilitia foote companie be drawne and make a guard on both sides of the streets.

That the armie horse doe marche in the reare.

When the commissioners and all their traine are returned to the Custom House and alighted, then all the small shott of horse and foot are to fire, and then all the great guns to fire. And this is to be done thrice, both by the great guns and small shott.

And after all done, ringing of bells, bonefires and fireworkes are to follow.

VI.

1660-61.

1660-61.—MEMORANDA¹ BY SIR WILLIAM DAVYS,
RECORDER OF DUBLIN.

1. 1660. November 29.—To the right worshipfull the Maior, Sheriffs, commons and cittizens of the city of Dublin.

Davys.

Petition.

The humble petition of William Davys, esquire: Sheweth: That your petitioner, beeing a native of this city, doth for that and divers other respects and regards hee oweth to the same, humbly pray that he may be admitted to the franchises and liberties of the same uppon gratias speciall, and uppon such small fine as your worships shall think fitt. And your petitioner will pray, etc. William Davys.

Grant.

Mayoress.
Gloves.

This petition was granted on the same day, the petitioner paying a paire of gloves to Mrs. Mayores, as a fine for his freedome.²

2.—To the right worshipfull the Mayor, Sheriffs, commons and cittizens of the city of Dublin.

Bysse,
Recorder.

Exchequer.

The humble petition of certaine of the commons: Humbly shewing unto your worships: That whereas John Byssie, esquire, now recorder of this cittie of Dublin, being by the kings most excellent majestie called to the dignity of lord chiefe baron of his court of exchequer in this his realme of Ireland, for which reason your petitioners, at an assembly not long since held heere, did then petition your worships to proceed to the election of some honest, able, judicious and learned person in the lawes to succeed the said lord chiefe baron in officiating the said place of recorder in this ancient cittie; upon which petition it was by the said assembly resolved and

Sir Richard
Kennedy.

Recorder.

agreed that they were free to elect Richard Kennedy, esquire (now sir Richard Kennedy, knight), to be the recorder thereof when that place were voide, or the said

¹ Ms., F. 1, 2, Trinity College, Dublin.² See page 197.

lord chiefe baron sworne to that honourable imployment ^{1660-61.}
of chiefe baron of his majesties said court of exchequer.

But soe it is, may it please your worshipps that your petitioners are credibly informed that the said sir Richard Kennedy is not only promoted to the place of second baron of the said court of exchequer, but hath alsoe some ^{Exchequer.} other honourable imployment conferred on him, soe that your petitioners (doe humbly conceive) hee cannot officiat that imployment soe resolved upon as aforesaid by the said assembly; and forasmuch as your petitioners doe alsoe humbly conceive that this citty (whose daily concernments are of very great importance) cannot long be destitute of some honest and well experienced person in the lawes to succeed the said lord chiefe baron when that hee is removed to the said court of exchequer; and whereas William Davys, esquire, who is a native and ^{William Davys.} freeman of this cittie, is knowne to be a person of much honesty, ability and learning in the lawes, whereby he is capable of officiating the said recorders place when the same is voide: it may therefore please your worshipps that at this present assembly the said William Davys be elected recorder of the said cittie to succeed ^{Election. Recorder.} the said lord chiefe baron when he shall be sworne chiefe baron of his majesties said court of exchequer, and when that the said sir Richard Kennedy, whoe was by a former assembly elected, is sworne second baron of that court, or otherwise promoted by his majestie; and that hee may have and receive all such fees, profitts, perquisitts and regards whatsoever which are incident to the said office of recorder of the same citty, according the custome and constitution thereof. And they will pray, etc.

3.—1660. November 29: The order conceived on this ^{Order.} petition on same day is as followeth—

This citty doe promise to elect Mr. William Davys ^{Election.} for their recorder when that place shall be voyde by ^{Recorder.} surrender of the lord cheefe baron, and when sir Richard

1660-61.

Admission
to franchise.

Kennedy doth wave the said place. Provided the said William Davys bee sworne free of this city. Allowed

Memorandum: That on the same day the said William Davys was sworne a freeman at Mr. Maiors house, there beeing present Mr. Maior, Mr. Alderman Tye [Tighe], Sherife Jans and my father.

[Letter from George Monk, duke of Albemarle.]

'To the right worshipfull the Maior, aldermen, Sheriffs, cittizens and commons of the citty of Dublin.

Letter from
George
Monk, duke
of Albe-
marle.

'Gentlemen,—Understanding that by the promotion of sir Richard Kennedy, now recorder of Dublin, that place is become voide, and William Davys, esquire, son of sir Paule Davys,¹ being, as I understand, willing to serve you in that condition, and considering how suitable that imployment will bee for him, I recommend him unto you that hee may be preferred to it. His fathers meritts and his owne abilities beeing knowne to you soe well, I shall not neede to urge this particular to you, which I beleeve will finde your acceptance, wherein you shall oblige your very affectionat freind and servant,—Albemarle.'

Memorandum: That this letter was not read at the assembly, it being conceived most proper to receive the election by the free consent of the citizens, then by any previous meanes of a lettere or otherwise.

On the 8th of January, 1660, sir Richard Kennedy, by lettere from himself to the citty, and delivered by his owne hands unto the citty, declared his waver of his pretense to the said office of recorder, which lettere was as followeth:—

Letter from
Sir Richard
Kennedy.

'May it please your worships,—I thought good heerby to signify my thankfulness to you for your favours and good opinion of mee in thinking mee worthy to bee elected recorder of this honourable citty of Dublin to succeed the now lord chiefe barron, for which I shall ever

¹ See pp. 132, 335.

retheyne a gratefull acknowledgment and affection to this ^{1660-61.} citty. I have thought it my duty to lett you know that it hath pleased his majestie to call mee to serve him in a place inconsistent with the holding of that of which I was alwaise most ambitious, and ever accounted it a great honor. And least the not timely signifying of this might prove of disadvantage to the citty (to which I shall ever wish all happinesse and prosperity), I leave it to your grave wisdomes to make choyce of such a person for the executing of that office as your worships shall thinke most fitt, with this assurance, that you shall ever finde him ready to serve you that is your worships most humble and gratefull servant—Richard Kennedy.—
Dublin, 8 January, 1660.'

'These: For the right worshipfull the Mayor, Sheriffs, cittizens and commons of the citty of Dublin. Deliver. A true copie.'

On the 10 of January, 1660[1], the said letter was, at a common assembly to that intent and purpose summoned, there read, and at the same tyme a petition in my name preferred to the citty, desireing to bee chosen their recorder, which accordingly was granted. Both the petition and order are as followeth, viz.:

'To the right worshipfull the Mayor, Sheriffes, com- ^{Petition.} mons and cittizens of the citty of Dublin:

'Sheweth: That by the surrender of John Bysse, esquire, ^{Bysse.} the office of the recorder of this citty is become voide, as alsoe by the waveing of the said office by sir Richard Kennedy the same is in your worships dispose, and for ^{Kennedy.} that your petitioner is a native borne and a freeman of ^{Native.} this citty, and willing to serve this citty, may it there- ^{Freeman} fore please your worships to grant unto the petitioner the said office of recorder, together with the fees, per- ^{Recorder.} quisites and profits thereunto belonging, and in as full ^{Fees.} and ample manner as the said John Bysse, esquire, held and enjoyed the same. And hee will pay, etc.

1660-61.

Grant.
Office of
Recorder.

1660-[1.] January 10 : Ordered that the said William Davys have granted unto him during his good behaviour the office of recorder of this city, together with the fees, perquisites and profits thereunto belonging, in as full and ample manner as John Bysse, esquire, late recorder of this city, held and enjoyed the same, saving and always reserving unto the said Mayor, Sheriffs, commons and citizens of the city of Dublin aforesaid, and their successors, the place or office of clerke of the Tholsel, with, etc., as at page 197.

Mayor.

Aldermen.

Swearing.

Oath of
Recorder.

On the same day Mr. Mayor was pleased to send for mee to his howse, where in the presence of himselfe, alderman Smith, alderman Tye [Tighe], alderman Hatfield and alderman Hutchinson, and others of the city, and other persons also. I was sworne recorder of the city, which oath followeth in these words :

‘ First : you shall sweare to be faithfull and true to our soveraigne lorde the king, his heires and successores, for evermore. You shall give your faithfull and true counsell unto the Mayor of this city for the time being as a recorder should doe, and att all times answeare him for counsell, without lawfull excuse. You shall justly and truly minister justice unto all the kings majesties subjects that shall have to doe before you, and in right and true manner execute all and singular things appertaining and belonging to the office of recorder of this city. Theise and all other things for the kings majesties goode and the weale of this city to your power, you shall truly doe and execute. Soe God you helpe, and by the holy contents of that book.’

VI.

FIRST LORD MAYOR OF DUBLIN: SPEECH¹ BY THE 1665.RECORDER, SIR WILLIAM DAVYS, TO THE DUKE OF
ORMONDE, LORD LIEUTENANT OF IRELAND, AUGUST,
1665.

May it please your grace,—The dutifull conformity to a laudable and ancient custome, not any vaine desyres to presume into soe great a presence, hath at this time brought before your lordship the great corporation of the chiefest chamber in this his majesties kingdome. A corporation of soe great antiquitye as the footsteps to its primary foundation cannot be tracked. But of its constant loyalty, stedly resolutions, stout indeavours, valiant actings, flourishing abilityes and happie success in their unwearied attempts for the royall lyne, history doth amply furnish us with many presidents . . .

I might add those many great and royall bountyes which it hath from time to time received from the severall kings and queenes of England; but I forbear to mention them at this time, since our good king hath soe far exceeded them; for the former, indeede, gave us pictures of silver, but the later hath added apples of gold unto them. The former sparingly distilled their favors on us, but the later, our now most gracious prince, hath poured them downe upon us in plenteous showers, filling up the measures of his royall bounty toppfull, heaped upp, pressed downe and running over. Witness that noble collar of SS.,² and that capp of maintenance,³ and, besides the late concessions, the princely gift of five hundred pounds per annum,⁴ granted to them as a supplement to the revenues of this citty, much impaired by their loyalty; all which his princely favors, as wee thankefully acknowledge to have received them from the abundance of his royall goodness, soe we cannot but with

¹ Ms., F. 1, 2, Trinity College, Dublin.², ³, ⁴ See vol. i., pp. 43, 45.

1665.	all due returne of thanks remember that the same derived to us by your wonted tender care of us. To you, therefore, most noble prince, doe wee, under God and the king, owne our present, as from you wee shall most assuredly derive our future happines, being a person princely in your vèrtues, happie in your consort, blessed in your offspring, prudent in your conduct, plentiful in your fortunes, and those as anciently inherent to your familie as your extract; and lastly, a person on whom, as on the best of subjects, that great accession of honor is most deservedly conferred by the best of kings in your filling that regall throne and weelding that sworde of justice fitly placed in your nobler hands. And heere give me leave to observe unto your lordship, that this cittie being alsoe entrusted with a sworde of justice, though not of soe keene an edge as that with which the hand of that noble lord is at present honoured, and well knowing that an able magistrate is only fitt for soe great a trust, they have cast their eyes and votes on this worthy person ¹ on my [<i>blank</i>] hand, whose modesty is suche and soe great as it renders him more apprehensive of the trouble imposed then the honor of government conferred on him. Yet before I recommend him to your lordship, vouchsafe, I beseeche you, a benigne aspect on this other worthy person on my [<i>blank</i>] hand, as the present Maior, ² whose uprightness in this his last yeare of government cannot bee forgotten by mee, and whose failers (if any) I hope will not be remembered by posteritie, since there is noe innocency so safe but rejoyceth to stand in the eye of mercie. For this other person on my [<i>blank</i>] hand, hee is now humbly presented to you to bee sworne into that now more honourable imployment of Lord Maior of this citty. My lord, this title was graciously conferred on us by the late glorious prince, king Charles the first of ever blessed memory, whose charter ³ I have
Duke of Ormonde.	
Ormonde family.	
Vice-royalty.	
City. Sword.	
Presentation.	
Title of Lord Mayor.	

¹ Sir Daniel Bellingham, *see* pp. 340, 350.

² William Smith, *see* pp. 311, 321.

³ *See* vol. i., p. 38.

heere in my hand ready to bee produced, and pray it may ^{1665.}
 be read, etc. My lord, you see by the date of this ^{Charter.}
 charter that it was granted to us some little time before
 the rebellion in this kingdom, which, when it broke
 out into a flame; when our royall father and soveraigne ^{Charles I.}
 suffered under the severest crowne of thorns; when
 our holy mother the church was cloathed with the
 purple robe of mockery; when our Irish harpe was ^{Irish harp.}
 turned to a fanatique tune, and when the musicall
 harmony of a well ordered government was converted
 into the feareful beate of drumms and sound of trumpet;
 and when, lastly, all of us lay under the most significant
 posture of a desperat forsakedness—then lay this our
 honor in the dust,¹ it being too light a fringe for that
 sable vestment with which wee were then begirt; but
 now that the glorious beames of majestie hath dispersed ^{Charles II.}
 those long continued, thickened, ugly clouds of darkenes
 which hung over us, wee now presume, with your graces
 leave and att your command, to assume that which com-
 mon prudence hath hitherto denyed us. My lord, as the
 title indeed is honourable, soe is the person deservedly <sup>Sir
Daniel
Belling-
ham.</sup>
 qualified to supporte the same, being a person whom
 God hath blessed with the blessings of the right hand
 and the left—a person, meriting for his loyalty, com-

¹ To this subject Sir W. Davys referred as follows in an oration at Michaelmas, 1661:—

“All those ancient honours of this citty have of late for a long, even too long a tyme, been throwne and buried in the dust. The fatt bulls of Bashon, with their many monstrous hornes, have been for several yeeres together goreing the sides of this well composed government. The lawes and laudable customes of this citty have been of late overgrowne and choaked upp with weedes and trodden downe and trampled on by the severest tyranny. The cittizens of this citty were for a long tyme sadly deprived of their estates and fortunes, of their rights and priviledges, of their religion

and their lawes. They have abounded in nothing but greefes and sorrowes, and were left destitute of every thing besydes the common ayre they breathed. All things in this citty and the cittizens thereof were shuffled into miserable confusions. The forlorne citty, like a crazy vessell, was tumbled and tost and almost torne in peeces. . . This distressed vessell was every moment in danger to bee overwhelmed by the blustering of those hideous monsters, the late cursed regicides, the very barbarousness of whose hellish actings were stained with many loathsom, leperous spotts, of capitall and basenous crymes of several natures and degrees.”

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First Lord
Mayor of
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mended for his hospitality, which later though not of an immediate essence to the government, yet is it like unto the coloured feathers of a dove, which adds nothing to its internal innocency, though something to its outward decency; a person great in his experience, wary in his resolves and resolute in his undertakings; lastly, a person loyall to his prince, faithfull to your grace, a lover and beloved of his fellow citizens, and certainly will prove a magistrate fitly qualified for so great a trust; him, therefore, I humbly present unto your lordship, beseeching hee may be sworne into the office of Lord Maior of this cittie, a place hee soe well deserves.

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